

ANNUAL REPORTS  
of the  
TOWN OFFICERS  
of  
WALPOLE, N. H.



*for the Year Ending December 31, 1957*  
and  
SCHOOL DISTRICT OFFICERS  
*for the Year Ending June 30, 1957*



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## TOWN OFFICERS

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Moderator  
JOHN E. AYLWARD

Selectmen  
LAWRENCE W. GRAVES Term expires 1958  
JOHN E. AYLWARD Term expires 1959  
LOUIS S. BALLAM Term expires 1960

Town Treasurer  
LILLIAN SMITH

Town Clerk  
MARGARET M. BALLAM

Road Agent  
ALEX PODWIN

Auditors  
HARLEY SMITH ANNA LLOYD  
WOODWORTH JAMES

Tax Collectors  
HAROLD T KILLEEN GEORGE HARRIS

Supervisors  
CHARLES KEEFE LYLE JEFFREY  
DENNIS GRIFFIN

Health Officer  
DR. WM. TATEM

School Committee  
HARLEY PRENTISS Term expires 1958  
EDWARD F. REARDON Term expires 1958  
DR. TUCKER BURR Term expires 1959  
RALPH POTTER Term expires 1959  
WENTWORTH HUBBARD Term expires 1960  
HAROLD KILLEEN Term expires 1960



## Trustees of Trust Funds

OLIVER J. HUBBARD	Term expires 1958
THOMAS P. KENNEY	Term expires 1959
HERMAN O. WOODWARD	Term expires 1960

## Library Committee

JANE HARRIS	Term expires 1958
FANNY JENNISON	Term expires 1958
AUSTIN I. HUBBARD	Term expires 1958
DORIS BRAINARD	Term expires 1959
MARY VAN DeMARK	Term expires 1959
MRS. RAYMOND BUNKER	Term expires 1959
EDWARD L. CUTTER	Term expires 1960
MARGARET WALSH	Term expires 1960
FRANCIS HOGAN	Term expires 1960

# THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

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## TOWN WARRANT

Cheshire, ss:

To the inhabitants of the Town of Walpole qualified to vote in town affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said town on Tuesday, the 11th day of March next, 1958 at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to act on the following subjects:

Article 1. To choose a Town Clerk, one Selectman, for thee years, Auditors, Town Treasurer, Road Agent, Collector of Taxes, Trustee of Public Funds, Surveyors of Wood and Lumber, Fence Viewers and all other necessary officers.

Article 2. To raise money for the support of the town poor, for town library, for cemeteries, to build and repair highways and bridges, and for such other current expenses as may accrue.

Article 3. To see if the town will vote to authorize its Selectmen to raise money on notes of the town for current expenses in anticipation of taxes.

Article 4. To see if the town will vote to allow a discount on taxes as has been the custom in previous years.

Article 5. To see if the town will vote to accept such funds or bequests as have been left to it during the past year.

Article 6. To see if the Town will authorize its Selectmen to administer and dispose of and deed any real estate acquired by the Town by Tax Collectors' deeds, after being advertised.

Article 7. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate \$12,250.00 to purchase a new Hough Pay-loader.

Article 8. To see if the Town will vote to divert the funds held in reserve for painting the Walpole-Westminster Bridge to the general fund. The amount (\$5800.00) to be applied to reduce the budget.

Article 9. To see if the Town will vote to discontinue the Kilbee Road, starting at the County Road and continuing to the Valley Farms woodshed at the foot of the hill. By petition.

Article 10. To see if the Town will vote to discontinue the road from the new railroad overpass on Route 12 to the intersection of the new road.

Article 11. To see if the Town will vote to discontinue the road from Frank Kay's driveway south to the Westmoreland Town line, subject to Gates and Bars.

Article 12. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$500.00 (\$250.00 for North Walpole and \$250.00 for Walpole) to support the recreation programs in each end of the Town. By petition.

Article 13. To see if the voters will authorize the Selectmen to appoint one or more highway agents for the Town of Walpole. By petition.

Article 14. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate \$200.00 to establish a manhole and drain on Good's Circle in front of the Wright Place. The drain to go across the land of Minnie and Stearns Wright without compensation. By petition.

Article 15. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$483.00 (1/100th of 1% of the valuation of the town) to the Monadnock Region Association of Southwestern New Hampshire for issuance and distribution of printed matter, newspaper and magazine advertising, and by other means calling attention to the re-

sources and natural advantages of the town, in cooperation with the other thirty-seven towns of the Monadnock Region.

Article 16. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of \$515.00 as its fair share of the operating cost of the Elliot Community Hospital.

Article 17. To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Polls to remain open until 6 p.m. or later if so voted.

Given under our hands this 15th day of February, 1958.

LAWRENCE W. GRAVES,  
JOHN E. AYLWARD,  
LOUIS S. BALLAM,

Selectmen of Walpole.

A true copy attest:

LAWRENCE W. GRAVES,  
JOHN E. AYLWARD,  
LOUIS S. BALLAM,

Selectmen of Walpole.



## BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF WALPOLE

ESTIMATES OF REVENUE AND EXPENDITURES FOR  
THE ENSUING YEAR JAN. 1, 1958 TO DEC. 31, 1958  
COMPARED WITH  
ESTIMATED AND ACTUAL REVENUE, APPROPRIA-  
TIONS AND EXPENDITURES OF THE PREVIOUS  
YEAR JAN. 1, 1957 TO DEC. 31, 1957

### SOURCES OF REVENUE

	Estimated Revenue Previous Year 1957	Actual Revenue Previous Year 1957	Estimated Revenue Ensuing Year 1958
From State:			
Interest and dividends			
tax	\$15,055 92	\$15,585 10	\$15,000 00
Railroad tax	7,340 66		7,000 00
Savings bank tax	2,631 29	2,695 09	2,700 00
For fighting forest fires		142 39	
From local sources except taxes:			
Dog licenses	618 00	696 80	700 00
Fines and forfeits,			
Municipal Court	392 00	681 63	600 00
Rent of town hall and			
other buildings	575 00	102 00	100 00
Interest received on taxes			
and deposits	772 00	1,170 71	1,000 00
Income from trust funds	315 00	315 63	315 00
Motor vehicle permit			
fees	14,206 00	15,561 02	15,000 00
From local taxes other than			
property taxes:			
(a) Poll taxes—Regular			
@ \$2	1,450 00	1,780	1,700 00

	Estimated Revenue Previous Year 1957	Actual Revenue Previous Year 1957	Estimated Revenue Ensuing Year 1958
(b) National bank stock taxes	107 00	107 00	107 00
(c) Yield taxes		1,481 68	250 00
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Total revenues from all sources except property taxes	\$43,462 87	\$40,319 05	\$44,472 00

### PURPOSES OF EXPENDITURES

	Appropriations Previous Year 1957	Actual Expenditures Previous Year 1957	Estimated Expenditures Ensuing Year 1958
Current maintenance expenses:			
General government:			
Town officers' salaries	\$4,050 00	\$4,479 38	\$4,100 00
Town officers' expenses	1,300 00	1,443 30	1,400 00
Election and registration expenses	400 00	175 73	400 00
Municipal court expenses	550 00	669 90	700 00
Expenses town hall and other town bldgs.	3,500 00	3,281 40	3,300 00
Protection of persons and property:			
Police department	2,000 00	2,512 05	2,500 00
Fire department	500 00	675 97	600 00
Moth exterm.—Blister rust and care of trees	400 00		400 00
Insurance	2,600 00	2,432 50	2,600 00
Civil defense	200 00		200 00
Health:			
Health department, including hospitals			
Vital statistics	300 00	295 00	300 00
Sewer maintenance	5 00	5 00	5 00
Town dump and garbage removal	2,000 00	2,022 20	2,200 00

	Appropriations Previous Year 1957	Actual Expenditures Previous Year 1957	Estimated Expenditures Ensuing Year 1958
Highways and bridges:			
Town maintenance—			
Summer	24,000 00	28,885 67	29,000 00
Town maintenance—			
Winter	23,000 00	16,045 92	17,000 00
Street lighting	550 00	584 04	585 00
Tar fund	20,000 00	16,883 13	20,000 00
Town road aid	989 90	989 90	990 00
Libraries:			
Libraries	2,290 00	2,290 00	2,290 00
Public welfare:			
Town poor	1,600 00	1,568 63	1,600 00
Old age assistance	3,500 00	3,283 13	3,300 00
Patriotic purposes:			
Memorial day and Veterans'			
Associations	50 00	13 96	50 00
Aid to soliders and			
their families	200 00	75 50	200 00
Recreation:			
Parks and playgrounds,			
incl. band concerts	600 00	692 51	600 00
Public service enterprises:			
Cemeteries	1,000 00	1,000 00	1,000 00
Shade trees	1,000 00	1,092 70	1,000 00
Unclassified:			
Damages and legal			
expenses	300 00	395 08	300 00
Employees' retirement and			
Social Security	1,300 00	1,249 50	1,250 00
Interest:			
On temporary loans	1,000 00	1,592 50	1,000 00
Bonds for town officers	450 00	555 15	550 00
Care of underpasses	350 00	371 94	375 00
General town charges	2,200 00	2,240 50	2,200 00
County taxes	15,700 00	14,358 40	15,000 00
Total expenditures	\$117,884 90	\$112,190 59	\$116,995 00

# FINANCIAL REPORT

## OF THE TOWN OF WALPOLE IN CHESHIRE COUNTY

For the Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1957

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### CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that the information contained in this report was taken from official records and is complete to the best of our knowledge and belief.

LAWRENCE W. GRAVES,  
JOHN E. AYLWARD,  
LOUIS S. BALLAM,

Selectmen.

LILLIAN SMITH,

Treasurer.

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### ASSETS

Cash:	
In hands of treasurer	\$73,778 51
Accounts due to the town:	
(a) Railroad tax	7,340 66
Unredeemed taxes: (from tax sale on account of)	
(b) Levy of 1956	1,582 46
(c) Levy of 1955	671 82
(d) Previous years	48 81
Uncollected taxes:	
(a) Levy of 1957	42,849 54
(b) Levy of 1956	471 55
(c) Levy of 1955	352 74
(e) State head taxes—Levy of 1957	1,455 00
(f) State head taxes—Previous years	1,085 00
Grand total	<hr/> \$129,636 09
Net debt—December 31, 1956	\$5,873 12
Surplus, December 31, 1957	1,712 89



**LIABILITIES**

Accounts owed by the town:	
Westminster bridge fund	\$5,800 00
Mason Forest, unexpended balance	2,515 79
Cheney bridge fund, unexpended balance	722 41
Town history appropriation	1,500 00
Due to state:	
(a) State head taxes—1957	
(Uncollected \$1,455.00) Collected—not	
remitted to state treasurer \$1,805.00)	3,260 00
Due to school districts: Balance of	
appropriation	114,125 00
Total liabilities	<hr/> \$127,578 69
Excess of assets over liabilities (surplus)	1,712 89
Grand total	<hr/> \$129,636 09

**RECEIPTS**

Current revenue:	
From local taxes: (Collected and	
remitted to treasurer)	
1. Property taxes—	
Current year—1957	\$288,969 68
2. Poll taxes—Current year—1957	1,462 00
3. National bank stock taxes—1957	107 00
5. State head taxes @ \$5—1957	5,260 00
7. Property taxes and yield taxes—	
Previous years	\$34,327 43
8. Poll taxes—Previous years	318 00
9. State head taxes @ \$5—Previous years	1,165 00
10. Interest received on taxes	1,170 71
11. Penalties on state head taxes	136 50
12. Tax sales redeemed	800 45
From state:	
13. For highways and bridges:	
(a) For town road aid reimbursements	2,169 18
(b) Grader work	216 95
14. Interest and dividends tax	15,585 10

16.	Savings bank tax and building and loan association tax	2,695 09
20.	Fighting forest fires	142 39
22.	Reimbursement a/c old age assistance	90 00
	From local sources, except taxes:	
24.	Dog licenses	696 80
26.	Fines and forfeits, municipal court	681 63
27.	Rent of town property	102 00
29.	Income from trust funds	1,077 90
33.	Registration of motor vehicles, 1956, permits	137 64
	Registration of motor vehicles, 1957 permits	15,423 38
	Receipts other than current revenue:	
34.	Temporary loans in anticipation of taxes during year	\$130,000 00
37.	Insurance adjustments	45 29
	Bridge, fuel and grain, refund	40 00
	Rockingham Memorial Hospital, refund	47 36
	Abatements	1,572 92
	Discounts	6,823 60
	Sale of lawn mower	25 00
	Sewer rent	5 00
	O A S I payments	
	Highway dept.	894 98
	Cemetery workers	42 92
	Libraries	38 40
Total receipts from all sources		\$512,270 30
Cash on hand January 1, 1957		68,779 93
Grand total		\$581,050 23

### PAYMENTS

Current maintenance expenses:

General government:

1.	Town officers' salaries	\$4,479 38
2.	Town officers' expenses	1,443 30
3.	Election and registration expenses	175 73

4.	Municipal court expenses	669 90
5.	Expenses town hall and other town buildings	3,281 40
	Protection of persons and property:	
6.	Police department	2,512 05
8.	Fire department, including forest fires	675 97
10.	Bonds for town officers	555 15
12.	Insurance	2,432 50
	Health:	
14.	Health department, including hospitals	30 00
15.	Vital statistics	295 00
16.	Sewer maintenance	5 00
17.	Town dumps and garbage removal	2,022 20
	Highways and bridges:	
18.	Town road aid	989 90
19.	Town maintenance (Summer \$28,885.67) (Winter—\$16,045.92)	44,931 59
20.	Street lighting	584 04
21.	Tar account	16,883 13
	Libraries:	
22.	Libraries	2,290 00
	Public welfare:	
23.	Old age assistance	3,283 13
24.	Town poor	1,568 63
	Patriotic purposes:	
26.	Memorial day and Veteran's Associations	13 96
27.	Aid to soldiers and their families	75 50
	Recreation:	
28.	Parks and playgrounds and recreational program	1,178 55
	Public service enterprises:	
30.	Cemeteries, including hearse hire	1,000 00
31.	General town charges	2,240 50
	Unclassified:	
32.	Damages and legal expenses	395 08
33.	Mason Forest expense	40 00
34.	Taxes bought by town	2,088 82
35.	Discounts, abatements and refunds	8,396 52

36.	Payment to state a/c yield tax debt retirement	218 83
37.	Employees' retirement and social security	2,499 45
	Interest:	
38.	Paid on temporary loans in anticipation of taxes	1,592 50
	Outlay for new construction, equipment and permanent improvements:	
	Quinton fund, chair	70 20
	Cheeney bridge	277 59
	Shade trees	1,092 70
	Ramsay Hill	1,481 43
	Truck	1,536 00
	Care of underpasses	371 94
	Town road aid, reimbursed	2,079 36
	Indebtedness:	
51.	Payments on temporary loans in anticipation of taxes	130,000 00
	Payments to other governmental divisions:	
56.	State head taxes paid state treas. (1957 taxes \$2,593.50) (prior yrs. \$5,630.00)	8,223 50
57.	Taxes paid to county	14,358 40
58.	Payments to precincts	30,114 00
59.	Payments to school districts (1956 tax \$97,048.00) (1957 tax \$112,000.00)	209,048 00
	Less social security deductions	229 11

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# **COMPARATIVE TABLE OF APPROPRIATIONS AND EXPENDITURES FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1957**

Title of appropriation	Amount raised		Expenditures	Unexpended draft	Over-
Town officers' salaries	\$4,050 00	\$4,479 38		\$429 38	
Town officers' expenses	1,300 00	1,443 30		143 30	
Election and registration	400 00	175 73	\$224 27		
Municipal court expense	550 00	669 90		119 90	
Town Hall expense	3,500 00	3,281 40	218 60		
Police expense	2,000 00	2,512 05		512 05	
Forest fires	500 00	675 97		175 97	
Moth extermination	400 00		400 00		15
Vital statistics	300 00	295 00	5 00		
Sewer maintenance	5 00	5.00			
Town dump	2,000 00	2,022 20		22 20	
Highways and bridges					
Summer	24,000 00	28,885 67		4,885 67	
Winter	23,000 00	16,045 92	6,954 08		
Street lighting	550 00	584 04		34 04	
Tar fund	20,000 00	16,883 13	3,116 87		
Town road aid	989 90	989 90			
Libraries	2,290 00	2,290 00			
Town poor	1,600 00	1,568 63	31 37		

Title of appropriation	Amount raised				Over-
	Expenditures				Unexpended draft
Old age assistance	3,500 00	3,283 13	216 87		
Memorial day	50 00	13 96	36 04		
Soldiers' aid	200 00	75 50	124 50		
Parks and playgrounds	600 00	692 51			92 51
Cemeteries	1,000 00	1,000 00			
Shade trees	1,000 00	1,092 70			92 70
Bonds for town officers	450 00	555 15			105 15
Damage and legal expense	300 00	395 08			95 08
Employees retirement and social security	1,300 00	1,249 50	50 50		
Interest—Temporary loans	1,000 00	1,592 50			592 50
Care of underpasses	350 00	371 94			21 94
General town charges	2,200 00	2,240 50			40 50
Insurance	2,600 00	2,432 50	167 50		
County tax	15,700 00	14,358 40	1,341 60		
Civil defense	200 00		200 00		
Health department		30 00			30 00
Totals	\$117,884 90	\$112,190 59	\$13,087 20		\$7,392 89
Unexpended balance					\$5,694 31

## REPORT OF SELECTMEN

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### SUMMARY INVENTORY OF VALUATION OF THE TOWN OF WALPOLE IN CHESHIRE COUNTY FOR THE YEAR 1957

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Land and buildings (exclusive of mill buildings, land and machinery)	\$2,773,140 00
Mill buildings, land and machinery	52,980 00
Electric plants	1,742,299 00
Stock in trade	193,920 00
Horses, asses and mules, 22	1,080 00
Cows, 1,156	95,950 00
Other neat stock, 185	12,470 00
Sheep and goats, 65	640 00
Fowls, 55,251	27,223 00
Gasoline pumps and tanks	15,735 00
Portable mills—Road building, repairing and well drilling machinery, 22	46,000 00
Wood, lumber, etc.	11,000 00
Total gross valuation before exemptions allowed	4,972,437 00
Less: Veterans' exemptions and exemptions to blind	134,850 00
	\$4,837,587 00

### ELECTRIC AND GAS UTILITY COMPANIES

Name of Company	Electric Plant
New England Power Co.	\$1,637,549 00
Granite State Elec. Co.	104,750 00
Total	\$1,742,299 00
1. Amount of property valuation exempted to veterans	\$134,850 00

STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS AND  
TAXES ASSESSED  
FOR THE YEAR 1957 OF THE  
TOWN OF WALPOLE

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APPROPRIATIONS

Town officers' salaries	\$4,050 00
Town officers' expenses	1,300 00
Social security or retirement	1,300 00
Election and registration expenses	400 00
Municipal court expenses	550 00
Town hall and buildings maintenance	3,500 00
Police department	2,000 00
Fire department, forest fires	500 00
Civilian defense	200 00
Blister rust—moth extermination and care of trees	1,400 00
Recreation program	500 00
Dump	2,000 00
Vital statistics	300 00
Care of underpasses	350 00
Town road aid	989 90
Town maintenance (Summer \$24,000.00) (Winter \$23,000.00)	47,000 00
New construction	1,000 00
Tar fund	20,000 00
Insurance	2,600 00
Walpole Historical Assn.	1,500 00
Street lighting	550 00
Sewers	5 00
Bonds for town officers	450 00
New equipment	2,000 00
Libraries	2,290 00
Old age assistance	3,500 00
Public relief	1,800 00
Memorial day, Vet. Assoc., Old Home day	50 00
Parks and playgrounds	600 00
Interest on temporary loans	1,000 00
Cemeteries	1,000 00



Damages and legal expenses inc. dog damages	300 00
General town charges	2,200 00
County tax	14,358 40
School tax	226,125 00

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Total town and school appropriations	\$347,668 30
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Less: Estimated revenues and credits:

Interest and dividend tax	\$15,585 10
Railroad tax	7,340 66
Savings bank tax	2,631 29
Revenue from yield tax sources	150 00
Motor vehicle permit fees	14,206 00
Dog licenses	618 00
Fines and forfeits—Municipal Court	392 00
Rent of town property and equipment	575 00
Int. on taxes and income from trust funds	1,087 00

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Total revenues and credits	\$42,585 05
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	\$305,083 25
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Plus overlay	7,566 83
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Net amount to be raised by taxation	\$312,650 08
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Less: 985 poll taxes at \$2.00	\$1,970 00
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National bank stock taxes	107 00
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	\$2,077 00
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Amount to be raised by property taxes	\$310,573 08
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Tax rates approved by Tax Commission:

Town tax	\$6 42
No. Walpole precinct	43
Walpole precinct	1 36
Fire precinct	30
Average	6 98

## PRECINCTS

Name	Valuation	Taxes	Rate
No. Walpole Vil. Prec.	\$2,402,509 00	\$10,330 79	\$ 43
Village precinct	691,810 00	9,408 62	1 36
Fire District	\$2,435,078 00	7,305 23	30

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Total taxes		\$27,044 64	
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## AMOUNT OF TOWN ORDERS DRAWN

## TOWN OFFICERS' SALARIES

Lawrence W. Graves, selectman	\$750 00
John E. Aylward, selectman	750 00
Louis S. Ballam, selectman	750 00
Lillian Smith, town treasurer	650 00
Harold T. Killeen, tax collector	500 00
Malcolm Williams, tax collector	500 00
Margaret Ballam, town clerk	250 00
Lyle Jeffrey, supervisor check list	50 00
Dennis Griffin, supervisor check list	50 00
Charles Keefe, supervisor check list	50 00
Anna C. Lloyd, auditor	68 00
Harley Smith, auditor	62 63
George Harris, auditor	48 75

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\$4,479 38

## TOWN OFFICERS EXPENSES

Lawrence W. Graves	
Clerk salary	\$200 00
6 trips to Keene	26 00
2 trips to County Farm	7 50
Use of car invoicing	35 00
Telephone	7 00
Mileage	12 00
Supplies	1 25
3 trips to Welfare Office	11 50
Stamps for inventory reports	20 50
Trip to Sentinel	4 00

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\$324 75

## John E. Aylward

Stamps	\$6 00
Mileage	71 00
Telephone	60 00
10 trips to Keene	70 00
7 trips to Westmoreland, use of car	30 00
5 trips to Concord	56 00
1 trip to Claremont	5 00
Use of car invoicing	41 00
Trip to Swanzey	7 00

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 \$346 00

## Louis S. Ballam

Clerk salary	\$100 00
Telephone	15 00
Mileage	5 00
Investigating dog damage	5 00
Use of car invoicing	35 00
3 trips to Keene	16 00
1 trip to town forest	5 00
1 trip to Welfare Office	5 00
1 trip to Concord	12 00

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 \$198 00

Sargent Bros., town clerk supplies	\$21 75
Harold Killeen, stamps	9 90
Anna Lloyd, auditing supplies and expenses	23 00
New Hampshire Register, for town clerk	15 50
Model Press, town clerk supplies	43 50
Model Press, tax collectors' supplies	44 00
Association of Tax Assessors, dues	3 00
Brown & Saltmarsh, town clerk supplies	26 34
Chase's, poll tax books and supplies	76 71
Margaret Ballam, stamps, telephone and supplies	71 00
New Hampshire Town Clerk Association, dues	3 00

New Hampshire Tax Collectors		
Association, dues	6 00	
Wheeler & Clark, town clerk supplies	30 30	
Fletcher's, envelopes	1 10	
Sentinel Printing, stamps and envelopes	174 45	
George Harris, tax collectors' supplies and stamps	25 00	
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		\$574 55
Total town officers' expenses		<hr/>
		\$1,443 30

## ELECTION AND REGISTRATION

Harold T. Killeen, meals	\$55 00	
James Shaughnessy, clerk	10 00	
Patrick Hartnett, clerk	10 00	
Gladys Barrett, meals	35 00	
Lillian Smith, clerk	10 00	
Ruth Barry, clerk	10 00	
John Aylward, moderator	15 00	
Sentinel Printing Co.	27 98	
Dresser Printing Co., ballots	2 75	
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		\$175 73

## MUNICIPAL COURT

Harold T. Killeen, salary	\$500 00	
North Walpole Village District, rent of Court Room	120 00	
Sentinel Printing Co., supplies	19 90	
Harold T. Killeen, supplies	30 00	
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		\$669 90

## POLICE

Paul Rogers	\$1,206 00
John Aylward	37 00
Angelo Baldasaro	893 80
George Kenney	73 00



James Tolaro	3 00
Perley Smith	20 00
Dennis Griffin	186 40
Russell Uniform Co., caps	17 10
Edward Pickering	20 25
Ralph Greene	10 50
Fred Piper	5 00
Carleton Nelson	5 00
George Hurlburt	6 00
Thomas Johnson	6 00
John Blicharz	6 00
Angelo Cetto	11 00
John Brooks	6 00

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\$2,512 05

#### TOWN HALL EXPENSES

Alexander Podwin, janitor	\$1,295 00
Edward Rock, rubbish	34 00
Walpole Water & Sewer	22 50
New England Tel. & Tel. Co.	133 10
Granite State Elec. Co.	200 95
Guy Bemis, supplies	2 12
Howard Hardware, repairs and lock	29 78
Mt. Kilburn Paper Co., supplies	54 26
Walpole Highway Dept., labor	2 50
R. N. Johnson, supplies	11 07
Brown & Saltmarsh	8 15
Bridge Coal & Grain Co.	1,356 00
Martin Murray, painting	62 20
Reardon Service Station	3 62
C. F. Simanton, tuning piano	8 50
Holland Furnace Co., cleaning	45 00
R. L. Galloway, gas	12 65

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\$3,281 40

#### SPECIAL APPROPRIATION

Shade trees

Chase Tree Service \$780 75

## Walpole Highway

Dept.

311 95

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Ramsay Hill	1,481 43
Cheney bridge	277 59
Costin's Garage, new truck	1,536 00
Recreational Council Walpole	250 00
Recreational Council North Walpole	250 00

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\$4,887 72

## SOCIAL SECURITY

State of New Hampshire	\$2,499 45
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## HEAD TAX

State Treasurer	\$8,223 50
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## TIMBER TAX

State Treasurer, expense of program	\$218 83
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## TOWN ROAD AID

State of New Hampshire	989 90
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## TOWN OFFICERS' BONDS

H. O. Woodward, trustee of trust funds	\$178 20
Lillian Smith, treasurer	75 00
Alex Podwin, road agent	6 25
Paul Rogers, police	5 00
Thomas Kenney, trustee of trust funds	67 20
George R. Harris, tax collector	95 00
Harold T. Killeen, tax collector	50 00
Margaret Ballam, town clerk	12 50
Oliver Hubbard, trustee of trust funds	66 00

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\$555 15

## MASON FOREST

Expense of Forest Program	\$40 00
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## INSURANCE

D. W. Harris Agency	
Town Garage and contents	\$111 70
International truck	42 65
Tractor	61 65

International truck	18 00
International truck	67 65
Workmen's compensation insurance	1,362 69
Grader	64 05
Town Hall	400 00
International truck	42 55
International truck	53 65
Payloader	90 65
Collector of uncollected taxes	35 00
Pierce & Putnam Agency	
John Deere tractor	38 96
Hadley Insurance Co.	
¾ ton pickup	43 30

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\$2,432 50

#### GENERAL TOWN CHARGES

Lawrence Graves, head tax fees, reimbursed by state	\$100 00
John Aylward, head tax fees, reimbursed by state	100 00
Louis Ballam, head tax fees, reimbursed by state	100 00
Mt. Kilburn Paper Co., repairs to safe	5 85
Granite State Elec. Co., Christmas lights	8 12
Vermont Newspaper Co., notices	5 35
New Hampshire Binding Co.	25 00
Lyle Signs Inc., no parking signs	8 86
N. H. Dept. of Public Sec. O. A. B., expense	9 34
Margaret Ballam, auto permits	783 00
George Harris, stamps	2 65
Chase's, flags for Common	8 00
Chase's, typewriter for town clerk	142 50
Rockingham Press, check lists	30 00
Sentinel Printing Co., town reports	689 38
Sentinel Printing Co., warrants	11 15
D. Reed Chaplin, register transfers	73 50

Esther Bennett, list of deceased tax sales	90
Northeastern Logger	2 50
Postmaster, stamps	7 60
Lawrence Graves, attending assessors' meeting	10 00
John Aylward, attending assessors' meeting	10 00
George R. Harris, head tax fees reimbursed by state	106 80

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\$2,240 50

#### FOREST FIRES

Treasurer State of New Hampshire	
Equipment	\$133 18
Walter Kilburn, Sr., warden	542 79

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\$675 97

#### HEALTH DEPARTMENT

John E. Aylward, consulting State Board	\$5 00
William Houghton, trips to Concord	25 00

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\$30 00

#### VITAL STATISTICS

Margaret Ballam	\$295 00
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#### SEWER MAINTENANCE

Boston & Maine Railroad, rental	\$5 00
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#### TOWN DUMP

Highway Department	\$2,022 20
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#### MAINTENANCE OF ROADS

Winter maintenance	\$16,045 92
Summer maintenance	28,885 67
Tar account	16,883 13

#### LIGHTING ROADS AND BRIDGES

Granite State Elec. Co.	\$584 04
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#### LIBRARIES

Walpole Library Committee	\$2,290 00
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#### OLD AGE ASSISTANCE

State of New Hampshire Welfare Department	\$3,283 13
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## TOWN POOR

Dr. Albert Johnston	
Aid to John Galway	\$25 00
Elliot Community Hospital	
Aid to Clifford Moody	10 00
Guy Bemis	
Aid to Richard Cameron	26 87
Fletcher Funeral Home	
Clifford Moody (reimbursed \$90.00)	155 00
John Harty	
Burial, Clifford Moody	30 00
Richard Cameron	
Aid	12 00
Walter Buttrick, M. D.	
Aid to Millie Stevens	7 50
William Tatem, M. D.	
Aid to Clifford Moody	9 00
Rockingham Hospital	
Aid to Millie Stevens	115 10
Aid to Thomas O'Brien (reimbursed)	47 36
Lawrence Graves	
Trip to County Farm (Clifford Moody)	8 00
Bartlett Taxi Co.	
John Galway, expense	4 00
Cheshire County Farm	
Aid to Clifford Moody	63 25
Aid to John Galway	256 50
Aid to Kendell Durrell	501 89
Fenton & Hennessey	
A. D. Haskell, burial	172 00
Ruth Lenahan	
Aid to Millie Stevens	53 00
Thomas Kenney	
Aid to Millie Stevens	29 66
Edith Woodleton, M. D.	
Aid to Millie Stevens	36 50

John Aylward	
Trip to Claremont	6 00

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\$1,568 63

### SOLDIERS' AID

Aid to soldiers	\$75 50
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### PARKS AND PLAYGROUNDS

Walpole Highway Dept.	\$9 45
Aumand's	9 10
Pinnacleview Farm Equip., lawn	
mower	100 00
Alex Podwin	560 00

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\$678 00

### CEMETERIES

Walpole Cemetery Committee	\$1,000 00
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### LEGAL EXPENSE AND DOG DAMAGE

George Harris, to reimburse for legal	
expense	\$80 90
Mrs. R. G. Graves, damage by dogs	20 00
D. Reed Chaplin, checking records	6 00
John Aylward, investigating dog	
damage	8 00
Louis Ballam, investigating dog	
damage	5 00
Edward Ostruski, damage by dogs	18 00
Upton, Sanders and Upton	257 18

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\$395 08

### TAXES BOUGHT BY TOWN

George R. Harris, collector	\$2,062 47
George R. Harris, expenses	26 35

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\$2,088 82

### DISCOUNT ON TAXES

Harold Killeen, collector	\$3,832 57
George R. Harris, collector	2,991 03

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\$6,823 60

## ABATEMENTS

Harold Killeen	\$1,100 36	
George R. Harris	472 56	
	<hr/>	\$1,572 92

## CARE OF UNDERPASSES

T. P. Kenney, supplies	\$1 65	
James Shaughnessy	370 29	
	<hr/>	\$371 94

## MEMORIAL DAY

Woodward Florist, North Walpole monument	\$10 00	
Veterans of Foreign Wars, wreath	3 96	
	<hr/>	\$13 96

## QUINTON FUND

Chase's, chair	\$70 20
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## TEMPORARY LOANS

Walpole Savings Bank and Keene National Bank	\$130,000 00
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## COUNTY TAX

Treasurer Cheshire County	\$14,358 40
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## SCHOOLS

Walpole School District	\$209,048 00
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## INTEREST

Walpole Savings Bank and Keene National Bank	\$1,592 50
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## PRECINCTS

Walpole Village District	\$9,397 00	
North Walpole Village District	10,117 00	
Walpole Fire District	7,200 00	
Walpole Village (1956 appro.)	3,400 00	
	<hr/>	\$30,114 00

## TOWN ROAD AID

State of New Hampshire Highway Dept. (reimbursed)	\$2,079 36
Total payments including soc. ser.	507,500 83
Less social security deductions	229 11
Total net	<hr/> \$507,271 72

## RECAPITULATION

Town officers' salaries	\$4,479 38
Town officers' expenses	1,443 30
Election and registration	175 73
Municipal court	669 90
Town Hall expenses	3,281 40
Police	2,512 05
Special appropriations	4,887 72
Social security	2,499 45
Head tax	8,223 50
Timber tax	218 83
Town road aid	989 90
Town officers' bonds	555 15
Mason Forrest expense	40 00
Insurance	2,432 50
General town charges	2,240 50
Forest fires	675 97
Health department	30 00
Vital statistics	295 00
Sewer maintenance	5 00
Town dump	2,022 20
Maintenance of roads	
Winter	16,045 92
Summer	28,885 67
Tar account	16,883 13
Lighting roads and bridges	584 04
Libraries	2,290 00
Old age assistance	3,283 13
Town poor	1,568 63
Soldiers' aid	75 50
Parks and playgrounds	678 55
Cemeteries	1,000 00



Legal expense and dog damage	390 08	
Taxes bought by town	2,088 82	
Discount on taxes	6,823 60	
Abatements	1,572 92	
Care of underpasses	371 94	
Memorial day	13 96	
Quinton fund	70 20	
Temporary loan	130,000 00	
County Tax	14,358 40	
Schools	209,048 00	
Interest	1,592 50	
Precincts	30,114 00	
Town Road Aid	2,079 36	
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Total payments and social security		\$507,500 83
Less—Social security deductions		229 11
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Net payments		\$507,271 72

## ESTIMATED BUDGET FOR 1958

Town officers' salaries	\$4,100 00
Town officers' expenses	1,400 00
Election and registration expense	400 00
Municipal court expenses	700 00
Expenses of Town Hall	3,300 00
Police Dept.	2,500 00
Fire Department	600 00
Moth extermination	400 00
Insurance	2,600 00
Civil defense	200 00
Vital statistics	300 00
Sewer maintenance	5 00
Town dump	2,200 00
Highway maintenance—Summer	29,000 00
Highway maintenance—Winter	17,000 00
Street lighting	585 00
Tar fund	20,000 00
Town road aid	1,227 20
Libraries	2,290 00

Town poor	1,600 00
Old age assistance	3,300 00
Memorial day	50 00
Aid to soldiers and families	200 00
Parks and playgrounds	600 00
Cemeteries	1,000 00
Shade trees	1,000 00
Damages and legal expenses	300 00
Employees' retirement and social security	1,250 00
Interest on loans	1,000 00
Bonds for town officers	550 00
Care of underpasses	375 00
General town charges	2,200 00
County taxes	15,000 00

Total expenditures	<u>\$117,232 20</u>
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## LESS

Interest and dividend tax	\$15,000 00
Railroad tax	7,000 00
Savings bank tax	2,700 00
Dog licenses	700 00
Fines and forfeits—Municipal court	600 00
Rent of Town Hall	100 00
Interest on taxes and deposits	1,000 00
Income from trust funds	315 00
Poll taxes	1,700 00
National bank stock tax	107 00
Yield tax	250 00
Walpole-Westminster bridge appro.	5,800 00
Motor vehicle permit fees	15,000 00

Total estimated revenue	<u>\$50,272 00</u>
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Amount to be raised by taxation	<u>\$66,960 20</u>
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## PROPERTY OWNED BY TOWN

## ACQUIRED BY TAX COLLECTORS DEED

Nizer Trombley lot, 30 acres more or less, mixed growing wood.

## REPORT ON MASON FOREST FUND

Total Acreage 267

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We have not done as much work at the Forest in the past three years, because of the New Highway that is coming through the middle of it, so we think it is advisable to wait until the road is built before we set any more trees. We have set 12,000 red pine in the past.

Below is a statement of the income on the sale of timber and interest on Fund of \$10,000.00 left by Fanny Mason for the maintenance and reforestation and expense for the year of 1950 through 1957.

Income from sale of timber		Interest on Fund		Expense	
1950	\$3,632 83	1950	\$695 13	1950	\$245 00
1951	4,771 24	1951	606 08	1951	568 21
1952	4,091 19	1952	726 32	1952	187 29
1953	1,411 92	1953	618 68	1953	1,253 16
1954		1954	636 59	1954	687 28
1955		1955	822 12	1955	117 60
1956		1956	772 14	1956	25 00
1957		1957	762 27	1957	40 00
<hr/> \$13,907 68		<hr/> \$5,639 33		<hr/> \$3,124 54	

Balance in fund \$2,515 79

# TREASURER'S REPORT

## TOWN OF WALPOLE

Year Ending December 31, 1957

### RECEIPTS

Balance, January 1, 1957 \$68,779 93

Harold T. Killeen, collector:

Taxes, 1957	\$156,467 01
Polls, 1957	334 00
Head tax, 1957	1,830 00
Penalties, 1957	13 00
Interest, 1957	1 31
Taxes, 1956	3,203 77
Interest, 1956	89 78
Polls, 1956	118 00
Head tax, 1956	470 00
Penalties, 1956	43 00

Malcolm D. Williams, collector:

Taxes, 1956	6,947 96
Polls, 1956	70 00
Head tax, 1956	245 00
Penalties, 1956	24 50
Interest, 1956	63 64
Tax, 1955	114 43
Interest, 1955	7 52
Head tax, 1954	10 00
Penalties, 1954	1 00
Polls, 1954	4 00
Interest, 1954	20
Yield tax, 1956	343 50
Sales levy, 1955	50 87
Interest after sale	1 26
Sales levy, 1954	16 17
Interest after sale	1 84



## George R. Harris, collector:

Tax, 1957	\$132,502 67
Polls, 1957	1,128 00
Head tax, 1957	3,430 00
Penalties, 1957	13 50
Interest, 1957	2 61
National bank stock, 1957	107 00
Tax, 1956	22,579 79
Polls, 1956	122 00
Head tax, 1956	430 00
Penalties, 1956	40 50
Interest, 1956	957 94
Polls, 1955	2 00
Polls, 1954	2 00
Head tax, 1955	10 00
Penalties, 1955	1 00
Yield tax, 1956	597 82
Yield tax, 1955	15 96
Yield tax, 1954	524 20
Levy of 1956	506 36
Interest after sale	2 60
Levy of 1955	2 91
Levy of 1954	41 57
Interest after sale	8 24
Levy of 1953	68 96
Interest after sale	16 10
Levy of 1954	113 61
Interest after sale	17 67

## Margaret Ballam, town clerk:

Auto permits, 1957	\$15,423 38
Auto permits, 1956	137 64
Dog licenses, 1957	682 70
Dog licenses, 1956	14 10

## Alexander Podwin:

Town hall	102 00
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## State of New Hampshire:

Forestry service dept.	142 39
T.R.A. reimbursements	2,169 18
Grader work, Stoddard	38 95

Other grader work	178 00	
Savings bank tax	2,695 09	
Interest and dividend tax	15,585 10	
Refunds:		
Bridge Fuel & Grain Co.	40 00	
Rockingham Memorial Hospital	47 36	
Compensation insurance	45 29	
Moody funeral costs	90 00	
George R. Harris, collector:		
Discounts, 1957	2,937 42	
Discounts, 1956	53 61	
Abatements, 1957	472 56	
Harold T. Killeen, collector:		
Discounts, 1957	3,832 57	
Abatements, 1957	540 40	
Abatements, 1956	559 96	
Trustee of trust funds:		
Quinton fund, income 1957	315 63	
F. P. Mason trust, income 1957	762 27	
Temporary loans:		
Walpole Savings Bank	70,000 00	
Keene National Bank	60,000 00	
O.A.S.I. payments:		
Highway department	894 98	
Cemetery workers	42 92	
Librarians	38 40	
Other sources:		
Sale of lawn mower	25 00	
N. E. Power Co., sewer rent 1958	5 00	
H. T. Killeen, municipal court	681 63	
Total receipts, including 1956 balance		\$581,050 23
Less town orders paid		507,271 72
Balance, December 31, 1957		<hr/> \$73,778 51

LILLIAN G. SMITH,  
Treasurer.

This is to certify that we have examined the accounts and records of the Town Treasurer from January 1, 1957 through December 31, 1957 and find them to be correct for that period.

HARLEY W. SMITH,  
ANNA C. LLOYD,  
WOODWORTH JAMES,  
Auditors.

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## TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

January 1, to December 31, 1957

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1956 auto permits	\$137 64	
1956 dog licenses	14 50	
Clerk's fee	40	
Balance		\$151 74
1957 auto permits	\$15,423 38	
1957 dog licenses	744 50	
Clerk's fee	61 80	
Balance		16,106 08
Total paid treasurer		\$16,257 82

MARGARET M. BALLAM,  
Town Clerk.

January 7, 1958

We the undersigned auditors, of the Town of Walpole, have examined the foregoing accounts and find them correct and properly vouched for.

A. C. LLOYD,  
H. W. SMITH,  
Auditors.

## REPORT OF TAX COLLECTORS

### REPORT OF MALCOLM D. WILLIAMS

Tax Collector South of Cold River

Summary of Warrant

State Head Tax

Levies of 1951-2-3-4-5

DR.

Uncollected taxes—as of

Jan. 1, 1957 \$880 00

Penalties collected during year 1 00

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Total debits \$881 00

CR.

Remittances to treasurer during period

Head taxes \$10 00

Penalties 1 00

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\$11 00

Uncollected taxes as per collector's list 870 00

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Total credits \$881 00

Summary of Warrant

State Head Tax

Levy of 1956

DR.

Uncollected taxes—as of Jan. 1, 1957 \$810 00

Penalties collected during period 24 50

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Total debits \$834 50

CR.

Remittances to treasurer during period

Head taxes \$245 00

Penalties 24 50

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\$269 50



Uncollected taxes as per collector's list 565 00

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Total credits \$834 50

**Summary of Warrant  
Property, Poll and Yield Taxes  
Levy of 1954**

**DR.**

Uncollected taxes—as of Jan. 1, 1957

Poll taxes \$50 00

Yield taxes 594 90

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\$644 90

Interest collected during period  
ended Mar. 12, 1957

20

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Total debits \$645 10

**CR.**

Remittances to treasurer during period  
ended Mar. 12, 1957

Poll taxes \$4 00

Interest collected during period 20

Uncollected taxes as per collector's list:

Poll taxes 46 00

Yield taxes 594 90

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Total credits \$645 10

**Summary of Warrant  
Property, Poll and Yield Taxes  
Levy of 1955**

**DR.**

Uncollected taxes—as of Jan. 1, 1957

Property taxes \$183 43

Poll taxes 70 00

Yield taxes 117 00

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\$370 43

Interest collected during period  
ended Mar. 12, 1957

7 52

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Total debits \$377 95

**CR.**

Remittances to treasurer during period  
ended Mar. 12, 1957

Property taxes	\$114 43
Interest collected during period	7 52

Uncollected taxes as per collector's list:

Property taxes	\$69 00
Poll taxes	70 00
Yield taxes	117 00

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256 00

Total credits

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\$377 95

**Summary of Warrant  
Property, Poll and Yield Taxes  
Levy of 1956**

**DR.**

Uncollected taxes—as of Jan. 1, 1957:

Property taxes	\$29,612 43
Poll taxes	244 00
Yield taxes	1,291 80

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\$31,148 23

Interest collected during period  
ended Mar. 12, 1957

63 64

Added taxes:

Poll taxes	10 00
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Total debits

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\$31,221 87

**CR.**

Remittances to treasurer during period  
ended Mar. 12, 1957

Property taxes	\$6,947 96
Poll taxes	70 00
Yield taxes	343 50
Interest collected during period	63 64

Uncollected taxes as per collector's list:

Property taxes	\$22,664 47
Poll taxes	184 00
Yield taxes	948 30

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\$23,796 77

Total credits \$31,221 87

**Summary of Tax Sales Accounts—as of March 12, 1957**

DR.

Tax sale on account of levies of:

1955	1954	1953	Previous Years
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Balance of unredeemed  
taxes— January

1, 1957	\$725 60	\$171 35	\$75 22	\$42 55
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Interest collected

during period	1 26	1 84		
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Total debits	\$726 86	\$173 19	\$75 22	\$42 55
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CR.

Remittances to treas.

during period	\$52 13	\$18 01		
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Unredeemed taxes

Mar. 12, 1957	674 73	155 18	\$75 22	\$42 55
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Total credits	\$726 86	\$173 19	\$75 22	\$42 55
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**Unredeemed Taxes from Tax Sales on Account of Levies of**

1955	1954	1953	Previous Years
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John and Mary Hall

\$68 65	\$30 95		
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Con Harty Est.

6 26	\$18 79		
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Mrs. Arthur Joslin

23 76			
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John and Dorothy

Lawlor	\$52 54	44 96	38 01	
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Perley Lund

525 99			
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Carlton Nelson

31 24			
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Dora Graves

41 57			
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Edward St. Cyr

64 96			
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\$674 73	\$155 18	\$75 22	\$42 55
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**REPORT OF GEORGE E. HARRIS**  
**Tax Collector South of Cold River**

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**Summary of Warrant**  
**Property, Poll and Yield**  
**Levy of 1955 and Previous Years**

DR.

Uncollected taxes—as of March 12, 1957:

Property taxes	\$69 00
Poll taxes	116 00
Yield taxes	711 90

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Total debits \$896 90

CR.

Remittances to treasurer during fiscal  
year ended December 31, 1957

Poll taxes	\$4 00
Yield taxes	540 16

Uncollected taxes as per collector's lists:

Property taxes	69 00
Poll taxes	112 00
Yield taxes	171 74

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Total credits \$896 90

**Summary of Warrant**  
**Property, Poll and Yield Taxes**  
**Levy of 1956**

DR.

Uncollected taxes—as of March 12, 1957

Property taxes	\$22,664 47
Yield taxes	948 30
Poll taxes	184 00
Added taxes (poll)	28 00

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\$23,824 77

Interest collected during fiscal year  
ended Dec. 31, 1957

957 94

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Total debits \$24,782 71



## CR.

Remittances to treasurer during fiscal  
year ended December 31, 1957:

Property taxes	\$22,579 79
Poll taxes	122 00
Interest collected during year	957 94
Yield taxes	597 82
By discount	53 61

Uncollected taxes as per collector's list:

Property taxes	31 07
Poll taxes	90 00
Yield taxes	350 48

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Total credits	\$24,782 71
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**Summary of Warrant  
Property, Poll Taxes  
Levy of 1957**

## DR.

Taxes committed to collector:

Property taxes	\$173,180 34
Poll taxes	1,414 00
National bank stock taxes	107 00

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Total warrant	\$174,701 34
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Added taxes:

Property taxes	694 08
Poll taxes	58 00

Interest collected	2 61
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Total debits	\$175,456 03
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## CR.

Remittances to treasurer:

Property taxes	\$132,502 67
Poll taxes	1,128 00
National bank stock taxes	107 00
Interest collected	2 61
Discount allowed	2,937 42
Abatements	342 56

Uncollected taxes as per collector's list:

Property taxes	38,159 77
Poll taxes	276 00

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Total credits	\$175,456 03
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**Summary of Warrant  
State Head Tax  
Levy of 1955  
and Previous Years**

DR.

State head taxes committed to collector:

Original warrant	\$870 00
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Total commitment	\$870 00
Penalties collected	1 00

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Total debits	\$871 00
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CR.

Remittances to treasurer:

Head taxes	\$10 00
Penalties	1 00

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\$11 00

Uncollected head taxes as per collector's list	860 00
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Total credits	\$871 00
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**Summary of Warrant  
State Head Tax  
Levy of 1956**

DR.

State head taxes committed to collector:

Original warrant	\$565 00
Added taxes	90 00

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Total commitment	\$655 00
Penalties collected	40 50

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Total debits	\$695 50
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**CR.**

## Remittances to treasurer:

Head taxes	\$430 00
Penalties	40 50

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\$470 50

Uncollected head taxes per  
collector's list:

225 00

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Total credits

\$695 50

**Summary of Warrant****State Head Tax****Levy of 1957****DR.**

## State head taxes committed to collector:

Original warrant	\$4,165 00
Added taxes	195 00

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Total commitment \$4,360 00

Penalties collected 13 50

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Total debits

\$4,373 50

**CR.**

## Remittances to treasurer:

Head taxes	\$3,430 00
Penalties	13 50

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\$3,443 50

Abatements:

130 00

Uncollected head taxes as per  
collector's list:

800 00

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Total credits

\$4,373 50

**Summary of Tax Sales Accounts—as of December 31, 1957****DR.**

Tax sale on account of levies of:

	1956	1955	1954	Previous Years
Taxes sold to town during current fiscal year	\$2,088 82			
Balance of unredeemed taxes Mar. 3, 1957		\$674 73	\$155 18	\$117 77
Interest collected after sale	2 60		25 91	16 10
	<hr/> \$2,091 42	<hr/> \$674 73	<hr/> \$181 09	<hr/> \$133 87

**CR.**

Remittances to treasurer during year	\$508 96	\$2 91	\$181 09	\$85 06
Unredeemed taxes—at close of year	1,582 46	671 82	•	48 81
	<hr/> \$2,091 42	<hr/> \$674 73	<hr/> \$181 09	<hr/> \$133 87

**Unredeemed Taxes From Tax Sales on Account of Levies of**

Con Harty Estate			\$25 05
Mrs. Arthur Joslin			23 76
John and Dorothy Lawlor	\$161 84	\$49 63	
Perley Lund	531 17	525 99	
Carlton Nelson	61 35	31 24	
Edward Ct. Cyr		64 96	
Robert Ball	23 00		
Earl and Evelyn Lique	57 42		
Harriett and Gerald Miller	21 94		
Ed Pratt	52 25		
William and Norma Patnode	97 72		
Arthur Pinard	252 31		
William and Norma Patnode	194 71		
Walter Kistler	103 78		



Walter Kistler

24 97

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\$1,582 46	\$671 82	\$48 81
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We have examined the accounts and records of the Tax Collector South of Cold River. In our opinion the recorded collections, the remittances to the Town Treasurer and the unredeemed and uncollected taxes have been correctly reflected in the above reports of the year ending December 31, 1957.

HARLEY SMITH,  
WOODWORTH JAMES,  
A. C. LLOYD,

Auditors.

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**REPORT OF HAROLD T. KILLEEN**  
**Tax Collector North of Cold River**  
**Summary of Warrant**  
**Property and Poll Taxes**  
**Levy of 1957**

Taxes committed to collector:

Property taxes	\$164,644 96
Poll taxes	520 00

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Total warrant	\$165,164 96
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Added taxes

Property taxes	364 79
Poll taxes	18 00
Interest collected	1 31

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Total debits	\$165,549 06
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CR.

Remittances to treasurer:

Property taxes	\$156,467 01
Poll taxes	334 00
Interest collected	1 31
Discount	3,832 57

Abatements

Property	464 40
Poll taxes	36 00

## Uncollected taxes

Property	4,245 77
Poll taxes	168 00

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Total credits \$165,549 06

H. T. KILLEEN,  
Collector. .

**Summary of Warrant  
Poll and Propetry Taxes  
Levy of 1956**

DR.

Uncollected taxes—As of  
January 1, 1957

Property taxes	\$3,330 68
Poll taxes	250 00

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\$3,580 68

Added taxes

Poll taxes	26 00
Interest	89 78

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Total debits \$3,696 46

CR.

Remittances to treasurer during year

Property tax	\$3,203 77
Poll tax	118 00
Interest	89 78
Abatements poll	158 00
Abatements property	126 96

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Total credits \$3,696 51

H. T. KILLEEN,  
Collector.

**Summary of Warrant  
State Head Tax  
Levy of 1957**

DR.

State head taxes committed to collector:

Original warrant    \$2,470 00

Added taxes	55 00	
Total commitment	\$2,525 00	
Penalties collected	13 00	
Total debits		\$2,538 00
CR.		
Remittances to treasurer:		
Head taxes	\$1,830 00	
Penalties	13 00	
		\$1,843 00
Abatements		40 00
Uncollected head taxes		655 00
Total credits		\$2,538 00
H. T. KILLEEN,		
Collector.		

**Summary of Warrant  
State Head Tax  
Levy of 1956  
CR.**

Uncollected taxes—As of		
January 1, 1957	\$710 00	
Added taxes	35 00	
Total taxes	\$745 00	
Penalties	43 00	
Total		\$788 00
CR.		
Remittances to treasurer during year 1957		
Head taxes	\$470 00	
Penalties	43 00	
Abatements	275 00	
Total		\$788 00
H. T. KILLEEN,		
Collector.		

Jan. 8, 1958.

We have examined the accounts and records of the Tax Collector North of Cold River. In our opinion the recorded collections, the remittances to the Town Treasurer, and the uncollected taxes have been correctly reflected in the above reports for the year ending December 31, 1957.

A. C. LLOYD,  
HARLEY W. SMITH,  
Auditors.

### MUNICIPAL COURT OF WALPOLE

Remittance to treasurer	\$681 63
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H. T. KILLEEN,  
Justice.

Jan. 8, 1958.

We have examined the accounts and records of Harold T. Killeen as Associate Justice, and find same to be correct and properly vouched for as shown.

A. C. LLOYD,  
HARLEY W. SMITH,  
Auditors.



## REPORT OF ROAD AGENT

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HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT REPORT FOR THE PERIOD  
JANUARY 1 TO DEC. 31, 1957  
ALEX PODWIN, ROAD AGENT

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### SUMMARY OF CASH RECEIPTS

Received from Town Treasurer:

Town dump	\$2,022 20
Snow account	16,045 92
Highway and bridges	28,885 67
Ramsay Hill	1,481 43
Tar account	16,883 13
Cheney bridge	277 59
Parks and playgrounds	9 45

Total	\$65,605 39
T R A	2,079 36

Total	\$67,684 75
Rceived from private and state work	11,500 40
Total receipts	\$79,185 15
Cash balance Jan. 1, 1957	516 97
	\$79,702 12

### SUMMARY OF CASH PAYMENTS AND APPROPRIATIONS

		Appropriations
Dump account	\$2,022 20	\$2,000 00
Snow account	20,367 95	23,000 00
Highway and bridges	28,885 67	24,000 00
Ramsay hill	1,481 43	
Tar account	16,883 13	20,000 00
Park and playgrounds	9 45	

Cheney bridge	277 59	1,000 00
Total	\$69,927 42	\$70,000 00
T R A	2,079 36	
Parks and playgrounds	9 45	
Total payments	\$72,006 78	
Cost of private work	7,695 34	
	\$79,702 12	

Cash balance Dec. 31, 1957

### CASH RECEIPTS FROM PRIVATE AND STATE WORK

January 1, 1957 to December 31, 1957

Refund of state tax on gasoline	\$720 77
Work for state and towns	4,974 86
Walpole School District	230 95
Walpole Village District	111 20
Walpole Fire Dept.	120 00
Gravel, sand, tar and misc. other income	5,342 62
Total	\$11,500 40
Cost of private and state work	\$7,695 34
Receipts from private and state work applied to winter maintenance	3,805 06
Total	\$11,500 40

### SUMMARY OF PAYROLL & TAXES WITHHELD JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Employee's Name	Gross Pay	FOA Tax	& SI	Federal Tax	Net Pay
Felix Aldrich Sr.	\$14 00		\$ 35		\$13 65
Robert H. Barrett	501 29		11 46	\$65 70	424 13
Peter A. Boudrieau	3,866 78		87 00	217 30	3,562 48
Loubert F. Brooks	3,290 67		74 05	122 50	3,094 12
Arthur Cashin	9 00		18		8 82
James H. Fennessy	645 98		14 54	87 20	544 24
Gordon H. Fletcher	1,604 49		36 15	14 50	1,553 84
Bruce E. Gilman	20 70		47	1 40	18 83
Helen M. Gilman	1,594 45		35 88	220 60	1,337 97
Patrick H. Hartnett	10 40		24		10 16
Walter C. Kilburn Jr.	12 15		26		11 89
Walter C. Kilburn Sr.	3,720 90		83 72	308 70	3,328 48
Albert W. Kingsbury	899 11		20 23	40 20	838 68

Earl F. Lique	2,311 90	52 05	84 70	2,175 15
Willie B. Lund	1,940 00	43 65		1,896 35
Elwin J. Mathers	2,258 57	50 87	240 70	1,967 00
James E. McGuirk	677 25	15 23	4 50	657 52
Charles T. O'Brien	1,730 30	38 94	71 60	1,619 76
Alexander W. Podwin	4,961 99	102 13	771 10	4,088 76
Gertrude J. Podwin	57 20	1 28	8 07	47 85
Ralph T. Podwin	872 86	19 63	120 10	733 13
George E. Ramsey Jr.	488 40	10 99		477 41
Daniel T. Randall	59 80	1 35	9 40	49 05
Perley J. Smith	3,606 10	81 16	408 90	3,116 04
John Spinelli	145 80	3 43		142 37
Floyd J. Sutton	3,333 85	75 05	360 70	2,898 10
Fred C. Whitney	1,542 07	34 69	192 20	1,315 18

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\$40,176 01    \$894 98    \$3,350 07    \$35,930 96

### CASH PAYMENTS

Angell's Automotive Service, Inc.	\$75 48
Atlantic Broom Service, Inc.	35 00
Aumand's	16 95
Guy H. Bemis	40 48
Big Bromley, Inc.	200 00
Peter Boudrieau	2 60
Bragg Lumber Corp.	28 84
Brennan Weldment Co.	696 90
Bridge Fuel & Grain Co.	944 11
John Burrows	116 00
Dr. Walter Buttrick, Jr.	4 00
Central Garage	106 51
Charlestown Ready Mix Inc.	78 75
Chase's	20 90
The Chemical Corp.	844 00
Clover Farm Store	6 91
Cold River Hot Mix Corp.	261 65
Cold River Sand & Gravel Corp.	3,439 69
Coston's Garage	252 02
Cray Oil Co.	4,543 70
Cray Tire Co.	4 01
J. C. Croucher, Inc.	181 20
Felix Damaziak	71 00
H. F. Davis Tractor Co.	11 09
Nelson C. Faught Co.	1 00
Albert Fletcher	399 00

Lawrence French	75 00
Furgat Tractor & Equipment	533 84
R. L. Galloway	35 96
Gay's Express, Inc.	3 49
Granite State Electric Co.	239 51
Robert G. Guest	8 98
Guy's Texaco Service	98 54
Thomas E. Hanifin	142 83
R. C. Hazelton Co., Inc.	796 60
Hedge & Mattheis Co.	11 00
Hicks Machine, Inc.	20 40
Walter Hill	128 00
Holden & Martin Lumber Co.	44 06
Everett E. Houghton	10 13
Howard's Tire Service	293 94
International Salt Co.	3,025 50
Johnson Motor Parts Inc.	5 50
R. N. Johnson	1,445 55
Albert Kingsbury	12 15
W. W. Kingsbury	113 61
Kopper's Co., Inc.	10,473 89
J. F. McDermott Co.	46 03
James McGuirk	1 50
G. L. Merriam Co.	300 73
Hardy Merrill	48 02
Maurice D. Miller	33 85
M. & M. Used Auto Parts	5 00
The Model Press	29 50
John Monoski	25 00
Morton Motors	10 44
Peter Murray	1,340 15
New England Tel. & Tel. Co.	159 80
N. H. Fire & Safety Equip. Co.	82 50
Northeastern Culvert Corp.	212 07
Perkins Lumber Co.	9 60
Petrometal Industries	2,273 65
Pinnacleview Farm Equip. Inc.	34 17
Alex Podwin	4 37
Postmaster	27 60



Quinlar Lumber Corp.	524 02
Railway Express Agency	3 69
Reardon's Gulf Service Sta.	222 89
Rice's, Inc.	748 87
St. Johnsbury Trucking Co., Inc.	31 58
St. Pierre Bros. Garage	25 61
Sanel Auto Parts of Keene, Inc.	852 83
W. A. Sawyer	99 10
Scott Machinery, Inc.	362 89
Homer Seward	56 40
Southwestern N. H. Transp. Co., Inc.	2 99
Robert Trask	193 45
Walpole Fire Co.	32 95
Walpole Pharmacy	2 00
Walpole Water & Sewer Dept.	30 00
Welch Electronic Service	17 24
Arthur Whitcomb, Inc.	55 30
Frank W. Whitcomb Constr. Corp.	1,706 71
George A. Wood	14 14
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	\$39,526 91
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Total payroll and cash payments	\$79,702 92

### AUDITORS' CERTIFICATE

We, the undersigned officers of the town of Walpole, have examined the accounts of the Road Agent, Alexander Podwin, for the period January 1, 1957 to December 31, 1957 and find them correct and properly vouched for.

HARLEY W. SMITH,  
A. C. LLOYD,

Auditors.

January 11, 1957.

### HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT EQUIPMENT

December 31, 1957

	Condition
No. 1 truck, International 3 ton dump, 1956	Good
Good Roads V plow, Frink wing, 1952	Good



No. 2 truck, International 3 ton dump, 1954	Poor
Good Roads blade plow, 1954	Fair
No. 3 truck, International 3 ton dump, 1953	Poor
Good Roads V plow, Frink wing, 1953	Good
No. 4 truck, International ¾ ton pickup, 1957	Good
John Deere tractor, Model GM, 1946	Poor
John Deere reversible plow, 1953	Poor
John Deere tractor, Model LA, 1944	Poor
John Deere sidewalk plow, 1944	Poor
John Deere tractor, Model M, 1951	Poor
John Deere sidewalk plow, 1951	Poor
Hough Pay Loader, Model HM, 1952	Poor
Adams power grader, No. 201, 1950	Fair
Rome grader	Fair
Homelite chain saw	Poor
Miller cement mixer	Good
Walker jack	Poor
2 Good Roads ice sanders, 2 Burch ice sanders,	
2 power sanders, 3 salters, steam boiler, brush	
hone, heavy roller, lawn roller, blow-torch,	
chloride spreader, mowing equipment, road	
broom and hand tools.	

Respectfully submitted,

ALEXANDER W. PODWIN,

Road Agent.

# REPORT OF TRUSTEES OF TRUST FUNDS

Year Ending December 31, 1957

## CEMETERY FUNDS

(Deposited in Savings Bank in Walpole)

Fund	Amount	Income
Livingston, lot No. 943	\$300 00	\$9 82
Plaistredge, lot No. 272	200 00	6 55
Kilburn, lot No. 791	100 00	3 27
Blanchard, lot No. 754	13 00	43
Allen, lot No. 93	200 00	6 55
Luke, lot No. 288-298-324	450 00	14 73
Holland, lot No. 892-893	100 00	3 27
Genzer, lot No. 268	70 00	2 29
Dickey, lot No. 906	100 00	3 27
Booth, lot No. 133	100 00	3 27
Livermore, lot No. 700	100 00	3 27
Thayer, lot No. 653	100 00	3 27
Murray, A. L. lot No. 261½	18 24	59
Martin, lot No. 520	500 00	16 37
Selkirk, lot No. 31	500 00	16 37
Ball, lot No. 719	100 00	3 27
Mead, lot No. 305	100 00	3 27
Hooper, Levi, lot No. 123-124	100 00	3 27
Watkins, Mary E., lot No. 290	100 00	3 27
Wier, lot No. 269-270	100 00	3 27
Spaulding, Mary A., lot No. 565-566	100 00	3 27
Britton, lot No. 517	200 00	6 55
Kilby, lot No. 713	150 00	4 91
Wilder fund, James Russell, lot Nos. 768-820	200 00	6 55
Miller, Ellen, lot No. 1035	100 00	3 27
Allen, Grace, lot No. 340	100 00	3 27
Hooper, Jas. J., lot No. 160-220	100 00	3 27

Graves, John, lot No. 509-508	100 00	3 27
Miller, Addison, lot No. 284	200 00	6 55
Towns, lot 450	450 00	14 73
Lovell, lot Drewsville	200 00	6 55
Maynard, Lydia, lot No. 59	100 00	3 27
Bellows, Julia W., lot No. 528	100 00	3 27
Rawson, lot No. 138	100 00	3 27
Hooper, Jas. K., lot No. 159-161-221	200 00	6 55
Kenrick, lot No. 127	200 00	6 55
Rust-Parker, lot No. 18	100 00	3 27
Putnam (Knowles), lot Drewsville	150 00	4 91
Rogers, lot No. 121	100 00	3 27
Fisher, lot No. 390	100 00	3 27
Shaw, Jas. J., lot No. 767	100 00	3 27
Barnet, lot No. 330-1-2-3-791	500 00	16 37
Newton, lot No. 2-128	200 00	6 55
Kittredge, lot No. 784	100 00	3 27
Dart, lot No. 813	50 00	1 63
Fay, Mary, lot No. 812	100 00	3 27
Holmes, Ira, lot No. 25	100 00	3 27
Jennings, lot No. 1060	100 00	3 27
Hall, lot No. 706	50 00	1 63
Guild, (L. S. G.), lot No. 125	150 00	4 91
Guild, (F. H.), lot No. 126	150 00	4 91
Hayward, lot No. 579	100 00	3 27
Morse, lot No. 950	100 00	3 27
Hitchcock, lot No. 772	100 00	3 27
Maynard, A., lot No. 66	125 00	4 09
Houghton, L. (Ball), lot No. 12	50 00	1 63
Mason, lot No. 14	100 00	3 27
Dunshee, lot No. 783	100 00	3 27
Turpin, (Nichols), lot Drewsville	100 00	3 27
Bond, lot Drewsville	100 00	3 27
Ballam, lot No. 201	25 00	82
Sherman, Wm., lot No. 61	200 00	6 55
Mitchell, lot No. 306-7-339	100 00	3 27
Peck, Thos. B., lot No. 718	500 00	16 37
Brown, Benj., lot Drewsville	50 00	1 63
Bradford, lot No. 91-92	100 00	3 27
Fuller, J. E. and J. H., lot No. 939	100 00	3 27

Dunshee, H. A., lot No. 117	60 00	1 95
Reynolds, lot No. 972	100 00	3 27
Guild, Wm., lot No. 85	100 00	3 27
Proctor, J. E., lot No. 67-71	300 00	9 82
Foster, Jennie Ball, lot No. 12-282- 283	100 00	3 27
Wotkyns, Helen, lot No. 291	300 00	9 82
Witt, lot Drewsville	100 00	3 27
Houghton, J. L. and L. H., lot No. 144-145	100 00	3 27
Guild, Sophie, (E. G.), lot No. 86	100 00	3 27
Ball, Orric, lot Drewsville	50 00	1 63
Knapp, H. C., lot No. 80	100 00	3 27
Howe, lot No. 380	100 00	3 27
Griswold, lot No. 989	100 00	3 27
Jennison, John Jr., lot No. 245	100 00	3 27
Holden, Geo. H., lot No. 312	100 00	3 27
Guild, Sylvia M., Barnes, Mary K., Roger Wolcott, lot No. 841	100 00	3 27
Quinton, lot No. 169	100 00	3 27
Wheeler, lot No. 49	100 00	3 27
Wier, Julia, lot Drewsville	100 00	3 27
Fay, Robt., lot No. 921-925-6	100 00	3 27
Jennison, Louisa, lot No. 387	100 00	3 27
Currier, lot No. 660	100 00	3 27
Huntington, lot No. 716	100 00	3 27
Howland, lot No. 608	200 00	6 55
Russell, Mary, lot No. 373	50 00	1 63
Treat, lot No. 129	28 86	93
Porter, Geo. P., lot No. 510	200 00	6 55
Foster, Caleb and Henry, lot No. 320-1-356-7	200 00	6 55
Pelsue, lot No. 84½	75 00	2 46
Holden, Edw., lot No. 279	300 00	9 82
Houghton, H. E., lot No. 146	50 00	1 63
Chappell-Snow and Jarvis Allen, lot No. 1063-4	100 00	3 27
Brown, Daniel, lot No. 232½	100 00	3 27
Thompson, Lewis, lot No. 157	100 00	3 27
Moore, Thos., lot No. 922	100 00	3 27



Thomson, David, lot No. 158	100 00	3 27
Howard, Frank, lot No. 721	50 00	1 63
Taggard, J. W., lot No. 3	100 00	3 27
Sherman, Geo. A., lot No. 758	100 00	3 27
Hooper, G. L. and F. H., lot No. 511-512	515 48	16 88
Watkins, O. H. P. and Chas., lot No. 150	150 00	4 91
Marshall, John, lot No. 996	100 00	3 27
Tiffany, S. J., lot No. 87	100 00	3 27
Weber, John A., lot No. 260	50 00	1 63
Houghton, Chas. W., lot No. 147	50 00	1 63
Hall, Ezra, lot No. 143	100 00	3 27
Hubbard, O. J. 1 S., lot No. 709-710	200 00	6 55
Hubbard, Samuel, Levi and Daniel, lot No. 765-815	100 00	3 27
Wilber, Hannah, lot No. 424	50 00	1 63
Houghton, J. L. and Lyman, lot No. 144-145	100 00	3 27
Grant, lot No. 370	303 87	9 93
Maynard, A. K., lot No. 60	100 00	3 27
Richardson, A. P., lot No. 651	300 00	9 82
Hall, Wm., J., lot No. 654	100 00	3 27
Brown, John C., lot No. 137	100 00	3 27
Houghton, F. M., lot No. 205	50 00	1 63
Roy, Andrew, lot No. 83	100 00	3 27
Glazier, Burt, lot No. 118	100 00	3 27
Watkins, H. J. and Luke Thurston lot No. 248-290	95 00	3 11
Faxon & Tobey, lot No. 384-385	300 00	9 82
Ramsay, Ira, lot No. 304	100 00	3 27
Maynard, Chas. G., lot No. 62	100 00	3 27
Shaw, Chas. W., lot No. 612	500 00	16 37
Colburn, Albert, lot No. 586	100 00	3 27
Spaulding, F. A. & Russell, lot No. 702	100 00	3 27
Knight, Alfred, lot No. 524½	50 00	1 63
Lane, Lewis, lot No. 717	200 00	6 55
Stevens, E. T., lot No. 261	100 00	3 27
Booth, Marvin, lot No. 639-641	50 00	1 63
O'Brien, Thomas, lot No. 705	100 00	3 27



Graves, Esther, lot No. 235	100 00	3 27
Phelps, J. H., J. Q., Russell and Levi Russell, lot No. 42-43-44	100 00	3 27
Whiting, Clarence, lot No. 256	100 00	3 27
Clarke, Alfred, lot No. 489	300 00	9 82
Wilson, Avery, lot No. 86½	100 00	3 27
Gates, Benj., lot No. 1065	100 00	3 27
Kingsbury, Geo. W., lot No. 563-567	100 00	3 27
Stowell, Chas. P., lot No. 215	50 00	1 63
Houghton, Everett L., lot No. 206	50 00	1 63
Bandell, Martha T., lot No. 155	100 00	3 27
Holmes, John P., lot No. 26	100 00	3 27
Dwinnel, Alvin, lot No. 34	100 00	3 27
Watkins, Sumner, lot No. 440	100 00	3 27
Graves, Wallace E., lot No. 214	100 00	3 27
Rollins, James F., lot No. 559	200 00	6 55
Sabin, George, Sabin and Fuller, lots Nos. 81-82	200 00	6 55
Lebourveau, Fred, lot No. 226-225	100 00	3 27
Fletcher, Wm. and Henry, lot No. 92½-894	200 00	6 55
Wolfel, Antone, lot No. 720½	100 00	3 27
Robeson, Katherine, lot No. 393	100 00	3 27
Waymouth, Geo., lot No. 75	100 00	3 27
Mason, Holland, lot No. 113	100 00	3 27
Bellows, Edw. and John, lot No. 682	100 00	3 27
Clough, Cyrus M., lot No. 640	200 00	6 55
Roy, W. E. and F. A., lot No. 149	100 00	3 27
Dame, Geo., lot No. 91½	100 00	3 27
Russell, Chas. M., lot No. 216	100 00	3 27
Slade, Henry A., lot No. 729	100 00	3 27
Watson, Robert, lot No. 395	70 00	2 29
Fuller, Wm., lot No. 156	100 00	3 27
Wells-Benoit, lot No. 134	100 00	3 27
Gale, Newell I., lot No. 637	100 00	3 27
Nourse, Isaac, lot No. 1057	100 00	3 27
Tufts, Jonas, lot No. 531	100 00	3 27
Bates, Mary G. Fund lots Bates, lot 224, C. Stearns, lot No. 297 E. Stearns, lot No. 801	300 00	9 82

Warren, John, lot No. 36½	50 00	1 63
Bunker, Raymond U., lot No. 610	300 00	9 82
Davis, Arthur M., lot No. 404	100 00	3 27
Kidder-Hubbard, lots No. 918-19-1058	200 00	6 55
Babitt, Marion Johnson, lot No. 831	100 00	3 27
Burt, Lillian, Alfred & Holland Burt, lots Nos. 280-281	200 00	6 55
Faulkner, Charles, lot No. 516	100 00	3 27
Hodgkins, John E., lot No. 13	100 00	3 27
Houghton, Warren S., lot No. 738	100 00	3 27
Cochran, Robt. J., lot No. 935	100 00	3 27
Seward, Alfred C., lot No. 11	100 00	3 27
Wilson, Nellie-Farnsworth, lot No. 317	100 00	3 27
Guild, Norman, lot No. 691	100 00	3 27
Barnes, Charles H., lot No. 712	200 00	6 55
Burt-Ingham, lot No. 707	100 00	3 27
Kemp, Alfred, lot No. 564	100 00	3 27
Foster, Alfred, Milan, lot No. 282-3	363 50	11 89
Hubbard, Oliver J., lot No. 399	100 00	3 27
Rust, George P., lot No. 19	50 00	1 63
Houghton, Algion, lot No. 207	100 00	3 27
Smalley, Fred O., lot No. 714	100 00	3 27
Seabury, Edwin K., lot No. 295	100 00	3 27
Perry, Horace A., lot No. 771	100 00	3 27
Sawyer, Leila, L. and Robert S., lot No. 616	100 00	3 27
Seward, Frank A., lot No. 6	100 00	3 27
Dickey, Clement S., and Edward Wellington, lots No. 253-4-5	400 00	13 11
Wells, Arthur E., lot No. 136	100 00	3 27
Mathers, Wm. J., lot No. 719½	100 00	3 27
Tidd, Frank, lot No. 474	100 00	3 27
Brown, A. Burton, lot No. 745	100 00	3 27
Johnson, Oscar E., lot No. 284½	100 00	3 27
Leonard, Willie G., lot 274	100 00	3 27
Burt, Moses, lot No. 998	100 00	3 27
Chickering, Bertha F., lot No. 234	100 00	3 27
Hooper, F. Dana, lot Nos. 318-319-354- 355	400 00	13 11
Merriam, Daniel and Irving, lot No. 10	100 00	3 27

Rhodes, E. Everett Sr., lot No. 743	100 00	3 27
Rhodes, E. Everett Jr., lot No. 396	100 00	3 27
Kilby, Henry, lot No. 643	100 00	3 27
Harris, Philip B., lot No. 611	200 00	6 55
Dinsmore, Flora, lot No. 264	50 00	1 63
Wilson, Hoyt W., lot No. 615	200 00	6 55
Smith, Carl, lot No. 94½	100 00	3 27
Jennison, Henry and Josiah, lot No. 930	100 00	3 27
Chickering, Arthur H. Sr., lot No. 69½	200 00	6 55
Selkirk, James, lot No. 27	100 00	3 27
Burrows, Henry, lot No. 744	100 00	3 27
Watkins, Thos. Foster, lot No. 152	100 00	3 27
Quincy, Mary Bellows, lots Nos. 73-37½-606-1071	400 00	13 11
Selkirk, Wm. R., lot No. 208	100 00	3 27
Dunshee, Frank, lot No. 690	100 00	3 27
Bellows, Clifford A. and Francis W., lot No. 685-686	300 00	9 82
Jennison, Harry J., lot No. 410	100 00	3 27
Buffum, Thomas B., lot No. 581	100 00	3 27
Porter, Warren W., lot No.	150 00	4 91
Gray, Jos. B., lot No. 646½	100 00	3 27
Weymouth, Frank E., lot No. 243	100 00	3 27
Wells, Herbert E., lot No. 618	100 00	3 27
Wells, Edward, lot No. 472-473	100 00	3 27
Jennison, Clarence, lot No. 411	100 00	3 27
Sevrens, Wm. H., lot No. 582	100 00	3 27
Wessell, Wm. W., lot No. 118½	100 00	3 27
Hosmer, Elbridge and Ellen, No. 371A	100 00	3 27
Tiffany, Harrie J., lot No. 40½	100 00	3 27
Dalzell, Charles D., lot No. 609	200 00	6 55
Seabury, Edwin, lot 425	100 00	3 27
Brooks, Elda M., lot No. 655	100 00	3 27
Sparhawk, Carlton E., and George H., lot No. 244	100 00	3 27
Blake, Wallace A., lot No. 397	100 00	3 27
Hubbard, Austin I., lot No. 400	200 00	6 55
Griffin, Dennis J., lot No. 266	100 00	3 27
Bain, Alexander, lot No. 398	100 00	3 27
Watkins, Chas. E., lot No. 218-219	100 00	3 27



Wright, Lewis J., lot No. 746	100 00	3 27
Russell, Frank M. & Wm., lot No. 217	100 00	3 27
Butterfield, Oliver J., lot No. 301½	100 00	3 27
Hastings, Hudson B. and Thomas M., lots No. 614-366	300 00	9 82
Ramsay, Melvin I. and Kenneth, lot No. 619	200 00	6 55
Good, John M., lot No. 605	200 00	6 55
Bemis, Nial and Geo. M., lot No. 721½	100 00	3 27
Moody, Walter, lot No. 666	100 00	3 27
Crowell, Curtis, lot No. 650	100 00	3 27
Marsh, Henry, lot No. 713½	100 00	3 27
Howland, John, lot No. 604	200 00	6 55
Phillipson, Harry, lot No. 267	100 00	3 27
Howland, Aaron P. and Henry E., lot Nos. 519-522-523-808-809	700 00	32 21
Hill, Albion F., lot No. 669	100 00	3 27
Gorham, M. H., lot No. 649	200 00	6 55
Tole, Fred, Doyle, Wm., lot No. 681	100 00	3 27
Christian, Freeman J., lot No. 285	100 00	3 27
Tiffany, George B., lot No. 88	100 00	3 27
Robbins, Royal, lot No. 632	100 00	3 27
Ramsay, Harry W., lot No. 419	100 00	3 27
Baker, James L., lot No. 402	100 00	3 27
Canfield, Charles, lot No. 370-71	300 00	9 82
Lawrence, Henry F., lot No. 171-72	100 00	3 27
Holland, N. W., lot No. 620	100 00	3 27
Nelson, James M., lot No. 1073	100 00	3 27
Fisher, Mary C. & Fred, Drewsville, lot No.	100 00	3 27
Kraetzer & Blake, lot No. 864	100 00	3 27
Tenney, Clinton, lot No. 95½	100 00	3 27
Shackley, Walter W., lot No. 757½	100 00	3 27
Edgell, Katherine C., lot No. 227	100 00	3 27
Daniels, Paul, lot No. 1075	100 00	3 27
Graves, Russell G., lot No. 701	100 00	3 27
Cheney, Wm. W., lot No. 647½	100 00	3 27
MacNutt, Everett, lot No. 664	100 00	3 27
Boyce, John H., lot No. 375½	100 00	3 27
Harris, George S., lot No. 613	200 00	6 55

Clark, Daniel and Nettie M., lot No. 96½	100 00	3 27
Booth, Rollin A. lot No. 694	100 00	3 27
Brown, Herod, lot No. 374	100 00	3 27
Pressey, Lorenzo, lot No. 696	50 00	1 63
Kilburn, Willard, lot 697	100 00	3 27
Kiniry, Thomas, lot No. 97½	100 00	3 27
Houghton, Edward A., lot No. 267½	100 00	3 27
Hamilton, Howard, lots Nos. 41A-42A	100 00	3 27
Allen, Francis B., lots Nos. 501½-602	500 00	16 37
Mathers, Henry W., lot No. 665	100 00	3 27
Jeffrey, George W., lot No. 405	100 00	3 27
Murray, Jane, lot No. 703	100 00	3 27
Bridge, George L., lot No. 60A	400 00	7 37
Peabody, Wm. H., lot No. 165	100 00	3 27
Stevens, Evelyn Noble, lots Nos. 46A-57A inc.	600 00	19 66
Slade, Helen Guild, lot No. 642	100 00	3 27
Peck, Roy M., lot No. 667	50 00	1 63
James, Woodworth, lot Nos. 44/45A	100 00	3 27
Johnson, John, lots Nos. 76/80A	250 00	8 18
Gilbert, Colgate, lots Nos. 185/186A	100 00	3 27
Cahalane, Marion Spaulding, Lots Nos. 185/186A	100 00	3 27
Brown, Harry B., lots Nos. 89/90A	100 00	3 27
Hartwell, Harry H., lot No. 167	100 00	3 27
Guthrie, Elizabeth S., lots Nos. 110/112	300 00	9 82
Schmitt, Peter	100 00	3 27
Wilson, William, lots 87-88A	100 00	3 27
Mitchell, Frank E. lot No. 415	100 00	3 27
Bowman, Annette Brown, lot No. 170	100 00	3 27
Lawrence, Harold S., lots Nos. 178-9-80-1-2A	250 00	8 18
Barrett, Carl M., lots No. 1A-2A	100 00	3 27
Williams, Malcolm D., lots Nos. 68-69-70-71A	200 00	6 55
Hutchins, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. L. lots Nos. 156-157A	100 00	3 27
Sutton, Harold A., lot No. 736	100 00	3 27
Ramsay, Fred A., lot No. 233	100 00	3 27
Cook, Mary F., lots Nos. 310-311	200 00	6 55



Galloway, Raymond M., lots 158A/159A	100 00	3 27
Flanders, John lot Nos. 81-2-3A	50 00	1 63
Prentiss John W. Jr., Nos. 160-1-2-3A	200 00	6 55
Long, W. Roscoe, Nos. 213-214-215A	150 00	4 91
Whitney, J. Fred, Nos. 166-7A	100 00	3 27
Parkinson, Walter W., Nos. 164-5A	100 00	3 27
Loehr, Ed N. & Justine S. lots Nos. 143/147A inc.-226/231A inc. 267/271A inc.	750 00	22 66
Tole, Thomas, (Drewsville)	200 00	6 04
Edwards, George E. Nos. 3 & 4A	100 00	2 77
Wolfel, Tony & Irene, Nos. 5 & 6A	100 00	2 50
Day, Ira, Nos. 7 & 8A	100 00	2 00
Thompson lot No. 693	100 00	1 17
Seward, Raymond A. & Alfred lots 216-217A	200 00	58
Dorr-Wheelock lot No. 154	200 00	58
Reed, David & Margaret W., lots nos. 85-86A	100 00	
Faulkner, George M. lot No. 652	100 00	
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Total cemetery funds and income	\$45,662 55	\$1,462 76

### LIBRARY FUNDS

Savings Bank of Walpole:	Amount	Income
Carpenter, Fanny A.	\$500 00	\$16 37
Stearns, Josiah W.	3,500 00	114 66
Peck Thomas B.	1,000 00	32 76
Davis, Caroline	500 00	16 37
Hooper, Warren L.	500 00	16 37
Porter, Geo. P. and Sarah J.	1,000 00	32 77
Richardson, Sylvia F.	500 00	16 37
Caldwell, Martha	1,000 00	32 76
Sabin, Frances	500 00	16 37
Foster, Alfred Milan	1,500 00	49 14
Gowing, Clara	5,000 00	163 81

Howland, Frances L.	1,000 00	32 76
Copeland, Charles T. (no income withdrawal)	1,000 00	
Hubbard, Ola A.	500 00	16 37
Townsend, Rega Pearl	2,500 00	81 90
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Total funds and income	\$20,500 00	\$638 78

### QUINTON FUND

	Amount	Income
Savings Bank of Walpole:	\$9,487 39	\$315 63

Income from this fund is paid the Selectmen annually to be expended by them for the benefit of the Town in such manner as they may deem advisable.

### CAROLINE G. B. COOKSEY FUND

Savings Bank of Walpole:		
Original bequest	\$2,261 26	
Unexpended income for prior years added	698 39	
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Total fund		\$2,959 65
Income paid 1957		96 96
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		\$3,056 61
Income for 1957		96 96
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Total principal bal. Dec. 30, 1957		\$2,959 65

Under the Will the income from this fund to be paid the Board of Education annually, to be expended by them for the student in Walpole High School who shall best merit the same, taking into consideration character, scholarship and athletic ability.

# FANNY P. MASON FUND

Invested as follows:

	Book value	Market value	Income
259 shares Boston Fund Inc., (13 shares stock div. '57)	\$2,480 80	\$3,895 36	\$131 42
205 shares Eaton & Howard Bal. fund, (4 shares stock div. '57)	2,494 80	3,987 25	142 18
1169 shares Mass. Investors Trust, (14 shares stock div. '57)	4,973 70	11,502 96	479 29
Savings Bank of Walpole	50 70	50 70	1 67
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	\$10,000 00	\$19,436 27	\$754 56
			68

## Income Account

### Fanny P. Mason Fund

Savings Bank of Walpole:

Income deposited from fund  
Interest on income

\$754 56  
7 71

Paid selectmen for care and maintenance of Mason woodlands

\$762 27  

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\$762 27

# GEORGE L. HOOPER TRUST

Securities held by Trustees of Trust Funds, Year Ending December 31, 1957

## STOCKS

### Shares

112 American Tel. & Tel. Co., (12) shs. by conversion of debts & cash '57)				
1568 Berkshire-Hathaway Co.				
471 Boston Fund, Inc. (24) shs. stock div. '57)				
67 Chase-Manhattan Bank				
105 Consumer Power Co., com.				
100 Detroit Edison Co. com.				
311 Eaton-Howard Balanced Fund (6) shs. stock div. '57)				
87 First Nat'l. Bank, Boston				
3 Hevi-Duty Elec. Co.				
100 Kansas City Power & Lt. Co. com.				
746 Mass. Investors, (8) shs. Stock div. '57)				
70 Nat'l. Shawmut Bank, Boston				
100 Niagara-Mohawk Power Co. com.				
20 Niagara-Mohawk Power Co. pfd. 3.90%				
200 Ohio Oil Co. com.				
110 Ohio Edison Co. com. (10) shs. bt. with rts. '57)				

	Book value	Market value	Income
	\$15,193 00	\$18,592 00	\$914 40
	2,161 69	10,192 00	392 00
	5,993 24	7,083 84	233 25
	2,247 50	3,149 00	160 80
	4,437 50	5,052 60	252 00
	3,212 50	3,760 95	200 00
	6,318 00	6,048 00	217 12
	4,496 88	5,785 50	282 75
	0 00	13 50	1 80
	3,525 00	3,850 00	200 00
	5,990 46	7,340 64	316 78
	3,412 50	2,660 00	154 00
	2,987 50	2,987 50	180 00
	2,000 00	1,660 00	78 00
	6,400 00	5,800 00	320 00
	4,752 50	5,610 00	290 40



# GEORGE L. HOOPER TRUST

## STOCKS

	Book value	Market value	Income
194 Peerless Casualty Co.	3,155 00	3,492 00	194 00
110 Pub. Service Co. Colo. com.	3,625 00	4,730 00	198 00
100 So. California Edison Co. com.	4,387 50	4,950 00	240 00
220 Stan. Oil Co. California, com.	6,225 00	10,890 00	418 00
100 Union Elec. Co. Mo. com.	2,562 50	2,750 00	152 00
100 United Fruit Co.	2,357 00	3,400 00	300 00
100 F. W. Woolworth Co.	4,262 50	3,550 00	250 00

## BONDS

400 Niagara-Mohawk Power 4/58s conv. of '72	400 00	440 00	9 28
2000 So. Pacific-Oregon Lines 4½s '77	1,960 00	1,860 00	90 00

## BANK BOOKS

Peterborough Savings Bank	2,000 00	2,000 00	70 61
Savings Bank of Walpole	2,889 22	2,889 22	113 02

## MISCELLANEOUS INCOME

Hooper Golf Club rental			500 00
Hooper Cottage rental			550 00
Int. on Amer. Tel. & Tel. conv. bonds (converted)			38 63
Hay sold Lawrence Britton			25 00
Income reserve Dec. 31, 1956			127 39

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	\$106,951 99	\$130,536 75	\$7,469 23
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**GEORGE L. HOOPER TRUST**  
**INCOME AND EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT**  
Year Ending Dec. 31, 1957

**RECEIPTS**

Cash on deposit, Dec. 31, 1956	\$103 33
Int. and dividends received	6,266 84
Hooper Golf Club rental	500 00
Cottage rental	550 00
Received sale of Consumers Power Co. rts.	23 61
Lawrence Britton, hay	25 00
Transfer from savings a/c:	
For purchase \$400 Niagara Mohawk Power	
Co. 4 5/8 conv. bonds, with rts.	400 00
For purchase of (10) shs. Ohio Edison Co.	
com. stock, with rts.	465 00
For purchase of (12) shs. Amer. Tel.	
& Tel. Co. stock	528 00
Transfer from stock and bonds, Amer. Tel.	
& Tel. Co., 3 7/8 conv. bonds for above	
purchase	1,200 00
	\$10,061 78

**EXPENDITURES**

Walpole Fire Dept., fire extinguisher	32 95
Bridge Fuel & Grain Co., fuel, school	400 76
Everett E. Houghton, plumbing and elec.	236 70
R. L. Galloway	10 89
G. H. Bemis, supplies	3 80
George Graves, fencing	15 00
Savings Bank of Walpole s/d box rent	4 40
Walpole Highway Dept., roads and tarring	342 80
New Eng. Tel. & Tel. Co.	117 11
R. H. Presby, janitor service	229 00
D. W. Harris Ins. Agcy., ins. all bldgs.	538 25
Martin Murray, cottage reprs.	77 68
F. C. Peterson, new flooring, doors, pro	
shop bldg.	1,797 86
D. W. Harris, salary for year	50 00

Trans. 1/5 net income to Accum. Fund	717 41
Paid Walpole School District	2,800 00
Bt. \$400 Niagara-Mohawk Power Co. 4 5/8s bds.	400 00
Bt. (10) shs. Ohio Edison Co. com. stck. with rts.	465 00
Bt. (12) shs. Amer. Tel. & Tel. Co. stock, by conversion of \$1200 3 7/8% debs. and cash \$528	1,728 00
Deposited Savs. Bank of Walpole, Consumers Power Co. rts., sold	23 61
Cash on deposit, Dec. 31, 1957	70 56
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	\$10,061 78

### GEORGE L. HOOPER TRUST

#### RESOURCES

Stocks, bonds, deposits (book value)	\$106,951 99
Cash on deposit, Dec. 31, 1957	70 56
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	\$107,022 55

#### LIABILITIES

Original fund as inventoried	\$79,470 87
Surplus	27,457 06
Income reserve	94 62
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	\$107,022 55

### GEORGE L. HOOPER TRUST

#### ACCUMULATING FUND

Savings Bank of Walpole:	
Balance Dec. 31, 1956	\$18,481 92
Int. for the year	514 36
1/5 net income G.L.H. trust	717 41
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	\$19,713 69
Cheshire County Savings Bank:	
Balance Dec. 31, 1956	\$7,138 18
Int. for the year	233 87
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	7,372 05

## Keene Savings Bank:

Balance Dec. 31, 1956	\$8,132 52
Int. for the year	266 44

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8,398 96

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Total accumulating fund Dec. 31, 1957      \$35,484 70

Respectfully submitted,

OLIVER J. HUBBARD,  
(Term expires 1958)

THOMAS P. KENNY,  
(Term expires 1959)

HERMON O. WOODWARD,  
(Term expires 1960)

Trustees of Trust Funds

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We, the undersigned, auditors for the Town of Walpole, hereby certify that we have examined the foregoing accounts and records of the Trustees of Trust Funds, including the inventory of the securities, cash receipts and payments, and find same properly cast and vouched for.

H. W. SMITH,  
A. C. LLOYD,  
WOODWORTH JAMES,  
Auditors.

Walpole, N. H., Jan. 13, 1958.

# WALPOLE CEMETERY COMMITTEE

## FINANCIAL REPORT

Year Ending December 31, 1957

### RECEIPTS

Cash on deposit Jan. 2, 1958	\$1,519 92
Town order	1,000 00
Received Trustees Trust Funds	1,462 76
Received care of various lots	110 00
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	\$4,092 68

### EXPENDITURES

John D. Harty, payroll, village cemetery	\$2,405 74
Carleton Nelson, Drewsville	11 50
G. V. Long	19 50
Walpole Village District, water	20 00
Charles Goldsmith, masonry and tree removals	107 35
Hubbard Farms, fence, Drewsville	2 60
Robert Farnsworth, fencing, Drewsville	4 95
G. H. Bemis, supplies	12 10
E. F. Reardon, gas and oil	25 81
Lillian Smith, treas., ss. payts.	42 92
District Dir. Inter. Revenue, W. Tax payts.	10 50
E. J. Rock, trucking	22 75
Geo. W. Jeffrey, grind. and reprs.	48 40
R. N. Johnson, repr. part	25
E. E. Houghton, shut off water	3 00
Walpole Highway Dept., graveling roads	136 85
Postmaster, Walpole	3 64
Cash on deposit, December 31, 1957	1,214 82
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	\$4,092 68

Respectfully submitted:

OLIVER J. HUBBARD,  
HERMON O. WOODWARD,  
DWIGHT W. HARRIS,  
Cemetery Committee.

We, the undersigned, auditors for the Town of Walpole, hereby certify that we have examined the foregoing account of the Walpole Cemetery Committee and find same properly cast and vouched for.

H. W. SMITH,

A. C. LLOYD,

WOODWORTH JAMES,

Auditors.

Walpole, N. H., January 13, 1958.

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## REPORT OF LIBRARY COMMITTEE

### TREASURER'S REPORT

January 1, 1957 to December 31, 1957

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#### RECEIPTS

Balance on hand January 1, 1957	\$1,249 78
From Selectmen	2,290 00
From Trust Funds	638 78
Mrs. Butler gift	100 00
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Total	\$4,278 56

#### PAYMENTS

Librarian's salary, Walpole	\$703 80
Librarian's salary, No. Walpole	234 60
Janitor service	83 50
Rent, library, No. Walpole, 1956	250 00
Rent, library, No. Walpole, 1957	250 00
Library supplies	21 20
Water and sewer	20 00
Electricity	55 44
Fuel	210 09
Insurance, books and building	69 97
Books	715 66
Repairs to building	335 28
New equipment, heating system	200 90
Magazines	70 90
Dues N. H. Library Trustees Assoc.	7 00



Social security	43 20
Total	\$3,271 54
Balance on hand December 31, 1957	1,007 02
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AUSTIN I. HUBBARD, Treasurer.

I, the duly elected auditor of the Town of Walpole, have examined the accounts and records of the Library Treasurer for the year ending December 31, 1957, and hereby certify that the above report correctly reflects the cash receipts and payments for that period.

HARLEY W. SMITH, Auditor.

### REPORT OF BRIDGE MEMORIAL LIBRARY

Books purchased: Fiction	122
Non-fiction	30
Gifts	33
Circulation	7,684
North Walpole report:	
New books	175
Circulation	4,800

During the past year the circulation has increased and the use of the reference department and magazines has been very popular. The services of the State Library by students and the general public has been steadily increasing each year.

In December the library rooms were opened to a neighborhood meeting of Library Trustees sponsored by the State Library to discuss the enlarged services of the State Library Extension.

Last fall the library building was painted, the roof repaired and new covers placed on the chair cushions in the reading room, also new shelves built in the children's department.

MARY H. VAN DEMARK, Chairman.

## THE TOWN HISTORY

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ANNUAL REPORT OF PROGRESS IN 1957 TO THE  
WALPOLE HISTORY COMMITTEE by Martha Frizzell,  
Researcher and Editor.

To accompany this report I had hoped to have ready the map of the town with all the homesteads numbered. A working copy of the map is prepared and the homesteads are listed by number with some pertinent data on most. Some of the histories have been written in first draft. I really have as much done as I planned, but as the work progressed it did not seem a sound procedure to take the time to prepare in a semi-final form material that is still in such a fluid state, being added to continuously.

During the session of the legislature I made the most of my opportunity to search the State Library, the New Hampshire Historical Society, the records of the Secretary of State, data collected by the State Highway Department and records at the Congregational Christian Conference office. I think I have exhausted these sources. The data collected is significant and basic.

The most important find was the original Bellows plan of the town (1752), recorded in Rockingham County. Unfortunately Mr. Bellows did not adhere strictly to his original plan in selling lots. However, we have the lots in the 3rd and 4th Ranges mapped. The lots in the ranges northeast of the village have just recently come into focus.

At the Historical Society I found Col. Wm. Heywood's survey of the Atkinson tract on Derry Hill and we have the early history of all of those 22 lots, except No. 19.

I have the early roads located and plotted with very few exceptions, having explored most of them either by car or on foot. There are still some questions, but they are gradually being answered.

I wondered at times if I were putting too much time on this phase of the work—preparing the map of the town and the histories of the homesteads. However, the old deeds are a great source of information if one does a thorough enough job to be able to interpret them. This information is also of practical value to land owners, beyond the sentimental value.

In addition the rough draft is ready or the material assembled on the following subjects: Early Church, Charters and Settlement, Joseph Dennie, John Hubbard, Jeremiah Mason, Louisa May Alcott.

PLANS FOR 1958—I am continuing the work on the maps and homesteads.

The big project is the reading and summarizing of the Walpole items in the newspapers of the area. I am now spending a day a week at the Bellows Falls Times office. I can do about one year in an 8 hour day. However, my eyes won't stand such days too often. I have done some exploratory work in the Keene Sentinel and plan to supplement the Times findings from that source. This work is most time consuming but I can see no other way of obtaining the results. I have also read the oldtime papers available at the Walpole Historical Society.

I am deeply indebted to Anita Aldrich for her tireless work and interest. I hope during the next year to interview many who personally know the history of Walpole, particularly the unofficial phase. I would appreciate suggestions of names of people who should be interviewed, and if possible their field of experience so that I may prime the pump intelligently.

## SCHOOL DISTRICT OFFICERS

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### SCHOOL BOARD

WENTWORTH HUBBARD, Chairman

HARLEY PRENTISS  
HAROLD KILLEEN

RALPH POTTER  
I. TUCKER BURR  
PAUL AUMAND

Moderator  
HERBERT TUCKER

Clerk  
JOSEPH MAHONEY

Treasurer  
JESSIE M. GRAVES

Auditors  
MALCOLM WILLIAMS  
WOODWORTH JAMES

Superintendent  
ELLIOTT W. KEACH



# THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

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## SCHOOL WARRANT

To the inhabitants of the school district of the Town of Walpole qualified to vote in district affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet in the North Walpole Elementary School All-Purpose Room, in said district on the 11th day of March, 1958, at 7:30 in the evening, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose a moderator for the ensuing year.
2. To choose a clerk for the ensuing year.
3. To choose two members of the school board for the ensuing three years.
4. To choose a treasurer for the ensuing year.
5. To hear the reports of agents, auditors, committees, or officers chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.
6. To choose agents, auditors, and committees in relation to any subject embraced in this warrant.
7. To see what sum of money the district will vote to raise and appropriate for the support of schools, for the salaries of school district officials, and agents, and for the payment of statutory obligations of the district, and to authorize the application against said appropriation of such sums as are estimated to be received from the state equalization fund together with other income; the school board to certify to the selectmen the balance between the estimated revenue and the appropriation, which balance is to be raised by taxes by the town.
8. To see if the district will vote to authorize the

school board to make application for and to receive and use in the name of the district, such advances, grants in aid or other funds for educational purposes as may now or hereafter be forthcoming from the United States government or any department or agency thereof, or from any state or private agency.

9. To see if the school district will adopt as its school check-list the Town check-list, as provided in RSA 197:12a, as inserted by Laws of 1957, chapter 57; this provision to be effective for the 1959 and subsequent annual district meetings.

10. To see if the district will authorize the school board to enter into a contract with the school district of Rockingham, Vermont, for payment of high school tuition.

11. To see if the School District of the Town of Walpole shall adopt the Australian ballot system for the election of School Board members.

12. To transact any other business that may legally come before this meeting.

## REPORT OF SCHOOL BOARD

For the Year Ending June 30, 1957

### RECEIPTS

Federal Aid	\$2,037 24
National School Lunch	3,695 33
Building Aid	3,600 00
Local Taxation	192,048 00
Elementary School Tuitions	2,878 94
Secondary School Tuitions	6,353 99
Trust Funds	4,000 00
Notes or Bonds	130,000 00
Other	911 58
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Total receipts from all sources	\$345,525 08
Cash on Hand July 1, 1956	
General Fund	4,590 66
Capital Outlay Fund	1,455 53
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Total	\$351,571 27

### PAYMENTS

Administration:	
Salaries of district officers	\$447 00
Superintendents' salary (local share)*	2,377 20
Tax for statewide supervision	1,186 00
Salaries of other administrative personnel	1,355 93
Supplies and expenses	2,048 82
Instruction:	
Teachers' salaries	103,046 59
Principals' salaries	5,300 00
Books and other instructional aids	1,957 53
Scholars' supplies	4,350 14
Supplies and other expenses	828 36

Operation of School Plant:	
Salaries of custodians	6,686 02
Fuel or heat	4,814 85
Water, light, supplies and expenses	3,843 69
Maintenance of School Plant:	
Repairs and replacements	2,482 41
Auxiliary Activities:	
Health supervision	2,709 46
Transportation	5,905 24
Tuition	17,692 93
Special activities and special funds	907 77
School lunch	3,777 66
Fixed Charges:	
Retirement	8,239 52
Insurance, treas. bonds and expenses	2,095 53
Capital Outlay:	
Lands and new buildings	96,024 59
Additions and improvements	152 97
New equipment	9,834 31
Debt and Interest:	
Principal of debt	18,000 00
Interest on debt	7,900 00
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Total net payments for all purposes	\$313,964 52
Cash on hand at end of year, June 30, 1957	
General Fund	4,525 97
Capital Outlay Fund	33,080 78
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Grand total payments	\$351,571 27

\*State's share \$3,000.00; Alstead \$602.70; Gilsum \$312.90; Marlow \$216.30; Surry \$239.40; Westmoreland \$451.50.

## BALANCE SHEET

### ASSETS

Cash on hand June 30, 1957	\$37,606 75
Accounts due to district:	
From town or city	84 00



From others	102 50
Total assets	\$37,793 25
Net debt	356,349 75
Grand total	\$394,143 00

#### LIABILITIES

Notes and bonds outstanding	\$394,000 00
Dental program	143 00
Grand total	\$394,143 00

#### WALPOLE SCHOOL DISTRICT ITEMIZED STATEMENT

June 1957

1. Salaries of District Officers:
 

Wentworth Hubbard, Chairman	\$100 00
Harley Prentiss	25 00
Ralph Potter	25 00
Harold Killeen	25 00
I. Tucker Burr	25 00
Edward Reardon	25 00
Herbert Tucker, moderator	12 00
Joseph Mahoney, clerk	10 00
Jessie M. Graves, treasurer	200 00
2. Superintendent's Salary (local share):
 

Roxie Forbes No. 60 treasurer	2,377 20
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3. Tax for Statewide Supervision:
 

State treasurer	1,186 00
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4. Other Administrative Personnel:
 

Sandra Menard	64 31
Nancy Kidder	29 00
Edward Pickering	2 12
Phyllis Coates	6 00
Josephine Woodward	75 00
Roxie Forbes, No. 60 treasurer	1,132 00
Anna Lloyd	30 00
Lacea Wilson	17 50

## 5. Supplies and Expenses:

E. W. Keach	148 85
Roxie Forbes, No. 60 treasurer	1,458 25
New England Telephone and Telegraph	362 98
National School Public Relations	8 00
Chase's	20 00
D. W. Harris Ins. Agcy.	5 00
Jessie Graves	30 00
N.H. Dept. Public Welfare	2 20
National Shawmut Bank	23 20
Kermit Cook	10 50
N.H. School Boards Association	25 00
N.H. Highway Hotel	50
Keene Junior High School	94
Treasurer, State of New Hampshire	1 25
N.E. Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools	26 50
Central Garage	1 00
Comstock the Printer	49 90
Walpole High School	3 30
Educators Progress Service	6 00
Milton Bradley Company	15 40
American School Board Journal	3 50

## 6. Principals and Teachers Salaries:

Cook, Kermit W.	5,300 00
Bolles, Frances	3,300 00
Phyllis H. Coates	3,200 00
Desmarais, Agnes	3,450 00
Desmarais, Robert	3,850 00
Foster, Florence L.	3,375 00
Fredette, Mary H.	3,100 00
Greenough, Jacqueline	3,050 00
Lamothe Anne K.	3,000 00
Lithgow, Edward J., Jr.	3,300 00
Miner, Roy	1,025 00
Morrissey, Hester	3,400 00
Plumb, Rubie	3,000 00
Presby, Raymond H.	4,000 00
Richardson, Howard S.	3,600 00

Rising, Dorothy L.	3,750 00
Roy, Barbara	3,300 00
Shaheen, Mary	1,520 00
Staples, Elizabeth	3,250 00
Stathoplos, Aristides	3,600 00
Thompson, Ruth K.	3,250 00
Wilson, Lacea R.	3,100 00
Wood, Clara C.	2,799 93
Wright, Marie L.	3,750 00
Dube, Joseph	3,900 00
Dulski, Thaddeus	3,250 00
Fitzgerald, Josephine	3,225 00
Fitzgerald, Mary	3,375 00
Kennedy, Alice M.	3,375 00
King, Ruth B.	1,800 00
Moynihan, Mary	3,275 00
Mulcahy, Mary K.	3,325 00
Richards, Margaret	3,325 00
Baldasaro, Mrs. Angelo	104 00
Britton, Rosalie	16 00
Constine, Arthur E., Jr.	40 00
Foley, Katherine	104 00
Garrity, Janice	8 00
Graves, Alice	200 00
Harris, Jane M.	24 00
Hartnett, Mae	24 00
Norris, Frederick	16 00
Peterson, Nils	16 00
Phelps, Glen	470 76
Woodward, Josephine P.	124 00
11. Janitors Salaries:	
Kilburn, Harold A.	2,950 00
Graves, John H.	300 00
Kilburn, Harold E.	900 00
Royce, Charles	1,616 54
Stevens, Clyde L.	801 48
16. Transportation:	
Prentiss, Harley	909 36

Jennison, Floyd	897 00
Pickering, Edward	885 00
Presby, Raymond	754 00
Carbonell, Rafael	57 00

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### SCHOOL BOARD'S ESTIMATE FOR 1958-1959

	Current Budget	Proposed Budget
Administration:		
Salaries of district officers	\$547 00	\$322 00
Superintendent's salary (local share)	2,567 00	2,125 00
Tax for statewide supervision	1,202 00	1,248 00
Salaries of other adminis. personnel	1,600 00	1,729 00
Supplies and expenses	1,948 00	2,103 00
Instruction:		
Teachers' and principals' salaries	128,020 00	142,345 00
Books and other instruct. aids, H.S.	1,597 00	2,000 00
Books and other instruct. aids, Elm.	1,920 00	1,700 00
Scholars' supplies, H.S.	1,524 00	1,355 00
Scholars' supplies, Elem.	2,800 00	2,545 00
Supplies and other expenses, H.S.	740 00	1,250 00
Supplies and other expenses, El.	765 00	300 00
Operation of School Plant:		
Salaries of custodians, H.S.	2,650 00	2,400 00
Salaries of custodians, Elem.	5,200 00	5,350 00
Fuel or heat, H.S.	2,250 00	1,380 00
Fuel or heat, Elem.	3,450 00	4,120 00
Water, light, supplies and expenses, H.S.	1,416 00	955 00
Water, light, supplies and expenses, Elem.	3,600 00	5,160 00
Maintenance of School Plant:		
Repairs and replacements, H.S.	500 00	1,100 00
Repairs and replacements, Elem.	1,900 00	2,565 00



## Auxiliary Activities:

Health supervision, H.S.	600 00	472 00
Health supervision, Elem.	2,245 00	1,351 00
Transportation, H.S.	2,100 00	2,100 00
Transportation, Elem.	4,500 00	4,500 00
Tuition, H.S.	18,600 00	18,270 00

Special Activities and  
Special Funds:

Hooper	800 00	700 00
Physical education	40 00	540 00
School lunch (in and out) H.S.	750 00	700 00
School lunch (in and out) Elem.	2,750 00	3,750 00

## Fixed Charges:

Retirement	9,129 00	10,590 00
Insurance, treas. bonds, and expenses, H.S.	500 00	500 00
Insurance, treas. bonds, and expenses, Elem.	1,577 00	1,550 00

## Capital Outlay:

Additions and improvements	2,000 00	860 00
New equipment	3,400 00	2,200 00

## Debt and Interest:

Principal of Debt	28,000 00	28,000 00
Interest on Debt	9,530 00	8,840 00

Total budget	\$252,717 00	\$267,275 00
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## Income:

Balance	\$4,500 00	\$11,000 00
Federal aid	5,000 00	6,050 00
State building aid	5,600 00	8,400 00
Elementary school tuition	2,652 00	
High school tuition	6,940 00	6,973 00
Trust funds		2,000 00
Other		500 00

Total receipts other than taxes	\$24,692 00	\$34,923 00
District assessment	228,025 00	232,352 00

Total appropriation	\$252,717 00	\$267,275 00
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## REPORT OF SCHOOL DISTRICT TREASURER

For the Year Ending June 30, 1957

Cash on hand July 1, 1956	\$4,590 66
Received from Selectmen:	
Current appropriation	\$192,048 00
Received from State Treasurer:	
State funds	3,869 26
Federal funds	5,732 57
Received from tuitions	9,232 93
Received as income from	
trust funds	4,000 00
Received from all other sources	1,277 08
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Total receipts	\$216,159 84
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Total amount available for	
fiscal year	\$220,750 50
Less school board orders paid	216,224 53
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Balance on hand June 30, 1957	\$4,525 97
JESSIE M. GRAVES,	
District Treasurer.	

### AUDITOR'S CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that we have examined the books, vouchers, bank statements and other financial records of the treasurer of the School District of Walpole of which the above is a true summary of the fiscal year ending June 30, 1957 and find them correct in all respects.

WOODWORTH JAMES,  
MALCOLM WILLIAMS,

Auditors.

**FINANCIAL REPORT****NORTH WALPOLE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL**

As of June 30, 1957

**RECEIPTS**

Other receipts	\$300 00
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Total receipts during year	\$300 00
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Cash on hand July 1, 1956	\$1,455 53
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Grand total receipts	\$1,755 53
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**PAYMENTS**

Site development	\$563 38
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Total	\$563 38
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Furniture and equipment	\$1,038 32
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Total payments during year	\$1,601 70
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Cash on hand June 30, 1957	153 83
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Grand total payments	\$1,755 53
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**FINANCIAL REPORT****NEW WALPOLE VILLAGE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL**

and

**VILLAGE SCHOOL RENOVATIONS****RECEIPTS**

Notes or bonds	\$130,000 00
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Dividends and interest	280 45
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Total receipts during year	\$130,280 45
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**PAYMENTS**

General contract	\$89,342 10
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Electrical fixtures	157 50
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Architect's fees and expenses	5,000 00
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Insurance	141 60
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Other payments	561 61
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Total	\$95,202 81
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Furniture and equipment	2,150 69
Total payments during year	\$97,353 50
Cash on hand June 30, 1957	32,926 95
Grand total payments	\$130,280 45

## BONDED INDEBTEDNESS OF THE WALPOLE SCHOOL DISTRICT

as of March 1, 1958

### VILLAGE SCHOOL LOAN, 1950

Due	Rate of Interest	Amount Due
April 1, 1958	2¼ per cent	\$10,000 00
1959	"	10,000 00
1960	"	10,000 00
1961	"	10,000 00
1962	"	10,000 00
1963	"	10,000 00
1964	"	10,000 00
1965	"	10,000 00
1966	"	10,000 00
1967	"	10,000 00
1968	"	10,000 00
1969	"	10,000 00
		\$120,000 00

### NORTH WALPOLE LOAN, 1955

Due	Rate of Interest	Amount Due
Aug. 1, 1958	2 per cent	\$8,000 00
1959	"	8,000 00
1960	"	8,000 00
1961	"	8,000 00
1962	"	8,000 00
1963	"	8,000 00
1964	"	8,000 00
1965	"	8,000 00



1966	"	8,000 00
1967	"	8,000 00
1968	"	8,000 00
1969	"	8,000 00
1970	"	8,000 00
1971	"	8,000 00
1972	"	8,000 00
1973	"	8,000 00
1974	"	8,000 00

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\$136,000 00

NEW WALPOLE VILLAGE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL  
and  
VILLAGE SCHOOL RENOVATIONS  
1956

Due	Rate of Interest	Amount Due
Oct. 1, 1958	3.10 per cent	\$10,000 00
1959	"	10,000 00
1960	"	10,000 00
1961	"	10,000 00
1962	"	10,000 00
1963	"	5,000 00
1964	"	5,000 00
1965	"	5,000 00
1966	"	5,000 00
1967	"	5,000 00
1968	"	5,000 00
1969	"	5,000 00
1970	"	5,000 00
1971	"	5,000 00
1972	"	5,000 00
1973	"	5,000 00
1974	"	5,000 00
1975	"	5,000 00
1976	"	5,000 00

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\$120,000 00

## REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

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To the School Board and citizens of Walpole:

I herewith submit my annual report as your superintendent of schools:

Progress is made by seeking to improve, to search for weaknesses that can be eliminated and to continue to strengthen areas that are already strong. Schools have been and undoubtedly will continue to be criticized. We appreciate constructive criticism as we sometimes are too close to the woods to see the trees.

The purpose of this report is to give a cross-section of what has happened in your schools this past year and some indication of future plans as we try to make the educational program fit the needs of the community.

Your schools are approved schools. They meet the state minimum standards and we plan to continue to not only meet the required minimum standards but to also meet as nearly as possible the standards that will mean we are fulfilling the requirements of recommended practices. However, economic standards must be considered.

For some time comparisons have been made of a nearby high school with the inference that the Walpole High School is inferior. A comparison of curricula shows that Walpole High School has practically the same curriculum except for the areas of vocational subjects.

Both your elementary and high school teachers are doing a good job and they should be given credit for so doing. A large percentage are taking courses each year to improve their ability to teach and their background of preparation. In addition each year they serve on committees that are studying ways and means of continuing to improve the curriculum and teaching methods. I am proud of them and proud to be associated with them.

The specific requirements necessary to meet the State Minimum Standards for the school year 1958-59 are: (1) add one more Fine Arts opportunity; (2) change from four fifty-minute periods a week to five forty-five minute periods a week. These requirements will be met. It should be noted that our school day already exceeds the minimum requirements and that there will be a slight additional increase of the length of the school day in the 1958-59 school year.

The following is a brief summary of comparison:

	State Min. Requirements 1958-59	Walpole 1958-59
Academic subjects	20	26
Vocational & Practical		
Subjects	12	14
Fine Arts Subjects	3	3
Full time principal for super- visory and administrative work		Sept. 1957
Strongly recommended:		
Physical education		Since Sept. 1955
No more than five daily prep- arations for teachers		Planned for 1958-59
Third year of French in Grade 12		Planned for 1958-59
General mathematics course		Planned for 1958-59
Speech course		Planned for 1958-59
Health instruction		Included in physical education
Personal typing		1957-58
Expansion and better organ- ization of library		Reorganization now in progress — more funds included in 1958-59 budget.

The staff members of the State Board of Education who visited the Walpole High School also strongly recommended that the curriculum be studied with the view to determining the need for more offerings in the Practical



Arts field for boys. I have pointed out in previous reports that the building now used for Vocational Agriculture and seventh and eighth grade shop is inadequate. Two years ago a committee studied the need of a new building or an addition to the present building. Increasing enrollments make this problem more acute.

It was decided not to include a request to add a guidance counselor to the teaching staff this year. However, it is now planned to make this addition for the school year 1959-60.

The addition of two teachers to the high school staff this year has enabled curriculum improvement through increased subject offerings, reducing alternation of subjects, and improving teaching by allowing teachers to teach within their major field of preparation. The addition of another teacher next year will mean further improvement.

The policy adopted this year of definite subject requirements for courses of study and increasing the requirements of achievement of pupils if they are to remain in the area of a course of study is directed to the end of improving the education of your children.

Recommendations for education beyond the high school level can be had only on the basis of achievement that warrants this opportunity. Only the best qualified pupils will be accepted for post-secondary education as competition increases due to the lack of space and facilities in the post-secondary institutions.

The new elementary school has been in use since the beginning of the first semester in Sept. 1957. An official dedication and acceptance of the new building has been delayed due to a few minor difficulties. However, it is now planned to have the dedication on March 2nd at 2:30 p.m.

The new building was planned on the basis of serving the first three elementary grades. Subsequent developments have resulted in the addition of a Kindergarten class which has made it necessary to use one of the rooms of the new elementary school for this purpose



and to continue to use one room at the other school for one section of the first grade. The room at the high school building now used for the first grade was scheduled to be used for small high school classes and it is not now available for that purpose.

The evidence now available as to classroom requirements for the school year 1959-60 indicates that Kindergarten classes will have to be held either in the North Walpole Kindergarten room or in some room available at the south end of town.

The instructions of the March, 1957 School District meeting in regard to study of the North Walpole pupils attending Bellows Falls High School as tuition pupils were carried out. In spite of the indications that a large majority of the citizens of Walpole were in favor of continuing the present procedure based on the factual materials presented at three public hearings the State Board of Education informed your School Board and Superintendent of Schools that they had ruled as follows:

**VOTED:** That the State Board of Education advise the Walpole School District and other interested parties that it will approve tuition contracts covering high school pupils in North Walpole attending the Bellows Falls High School for a five-year period beginning with the school year 1958-59, provided that all Walpole school pupils in grade 9 for the school year 1959-60 attend Walpole High School and that successive grade 9's attend Walpole High School until all students of high school age in Walpole School District are attending Walpole High School; and it is

**FURTHER VOTED:** That the adoption of the foregoing vote shall not be deemed an expression of opinion by the State Board of Education as to whether such course of action is or is not in the best interests of all of the school pupils in the Walpole School District, but is compelled by the limiting effect of RSA 194:20-23 upon the power of the State Board to approve high school tuition contracts between Walpole School District and Bellows Falls School District.

The action taken by the State Board of Education is now under study by your School Board and at the time of this writing no decision has been reached as to any future action.

An ambitious program to strengthen the curriculum was begun this year. A three-day Language Arts Workshop was held October 9, 10, and 11 for the purpose of studying current information about content and methods with particular emphasis on oral and written communication. Dr. Alice Crossley, Associate Professor in Education at Boston University; Miss Nell Sefton, Educational Consultant of the World Book Company; Mrs. Marie Capron, State Elementary Supervisor and Mr. Normand Pacquette, Head of the Claremont English Department were speakers and consultants.

Our objectives are:

1. To develop a syllabus outline for Grades 1-8 that will serve as a basis for progressive improvement.
2. To develop an English syllabus outline for Grades 9-12 that will serve as a basis for progressive improvement.
3. To develop a planned program of integration of the language arts with other high school subjects.

As a follow-up of the Workshop two committees are working on syllabi; one for Grades 1-8, the other, for Grades 9-12. In addition six meetings of all the teachers are being held to work with the committees.

More than the usual number of teacher changes occurred this past year. Mr. Laurie L. Harris replaced Mr. Kermit Cook as principal of the high school and elementary school in the village. Mr. Harris received his Bachelor Degree from Colby College and his Master's Degree from the University of Massachusetts. Mr. Harris was formerly principal of Junior-Senior High School in Hollis, N. H. Mr. Earl Aldrich was employed as an additional teacher of Social Science and English in grades seven and eight. Mrs. Anne Edwards replaced Mrs. Clara Wood. Mrs. Edwards is a graduate of the University of Maine and formerly taught in Augusta, Maine. Mr. Richard Lamerand re-

placed Mr. Robert Desmarais. Mr. Lamerand is a graduate of the University of New Hampshire. Mrs. Dorothy Macnaughton was employed as an additional teacher of English and Languages. She is a graduate of the University of New Hampshire and formerly taught at Walpole High School. Miss Rosemarie Niles replaced Miss Mary Shaheen as vocal music teacher. Miss Niles studied music at Boston University. Nils Peterson was employed as an additional teacher for grade six. Mr. Vincent Riel replaced Mrs. Agnes Desmarais as teacher of English. Mr. Riel is a graduate of Keene Teachers College. Mrs. Harriett Warn was employed as Kindergarten teacher. She is a graduate of Keene Teachers College and formerly taught in Keene, New Hampshire.

Miss Elizabeth Whitehouse replaced Miss Barbara Roy. Miss Whitehouse is a graduate of Keene Teachers College and formerly taught in Freeport, Long Island, New York. Mr. Paul Lamothe replaced Mr. Thaddeus Dulski as seventh grade teacher in North Walpole. Mr. Lamothe is a graduate of the University of New Hampshire and formerly taught in Swanzey, New Hampshire.

We have the following cadet teachers from Keene Teachers College this year: Miss Doris Davis, Home Economics; Mr. Ernest Moran, Mathematics and Science; and Miss Carol Fenton, Mathematics and Science.

#### Enrollment, January 1, 1958:

Grade	Knd.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12—	Tl.
North														
Walpole	19	18	13	15	20	17	10	12	14					—138
Walpole	27	42	48	44	47	47	50	51	44	40	35	35	20—	530

#### Tuition pupils:

Grade	7	8	9	10	11	12—	Tl.
From Westmoreland	12	15	5	3	6	6—	47
To Bellows Falls			14	13	17	11—	55

I want to thank the school board, teachers, parents, pupils and citizens for their cooperation.

ELLIOTT W. KEACH,  
Superintendent of Schools.



## REPORT OF THE SCHOOL NURSE FOR WALPOLE AND NORTH WALPOLE

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The following is my report for the year ending June 30, 1957.

343 pupils were examined by Dr. Tatem.

The following defects were noted and reported:

- 1—Hernia.
- 1—Wax plug
- 2—Minor heart conditions.
- 77—Students in need of dental car.
- 569 pupils had vision tests given by the school nurse.
- 39 pupils had vision exams by eye doctors.
- 354 pupils had hearing tests given by the school nurse.
- 573 pupils were weighed and measured by the school nurse.
- 2 pupils attended Orthopedic Clinic.
- 1 pupil attended Speech Clinic.
- 42 pupils attended Pre-registration Clinic.
- 1 pupil attended Guidance Clinic.
- 75 pupils needed follow-up on smallpox vaccination.

One of the many aims of the school health program is to establish Good Health among its children, and community.

To define GOOD HEALTH—a state of complete physical, mental, and social well-being and the foundation of joyous, zestful living. Let's hope we all find it this coming year.

My sincere thanks to all who gave their time and effort to make this year a success.

Respectfully submitted,

MRS. ELLEN PEARCE, R. N.



## REPORT OF PRINCIPAL NORTH WALPOLE SCHOOL

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Mr. Elliott W. Keach, Superintendent of Schools,  
Walpole, New Hampshire.

Dear Sir:

I herewith submit my annual report as Principal of the North Walpole School.

### SCHOLARSHIP

The testing program was carried on as in other years. Intelligence tests were given in grades one, three, five and seven. Achievement tests were administered in all the grades. The test scores were examined carefully in order that the needs of the pupils might be more adequately understood. The achievement tests showed much valuable information on interests, special skills, serious deficiencies, and on the general nature of pupil growth in school learning. By making a comparison of the two sets of scores the over-achievers and under-achievers in the various grades were located. The pupils were grouped accordingly within each grade so that the most able and least able could learn at their own best rate. Utilization of the test outcomes also served as a basis for more skillful guidance.

Faculty meetings are held on the average of one a month, and at other times whenever anything special turns up or the teachers have a problem on which they are seeking help. The meetings, this year, have been devoted primarily to the Language Arts Program, in order to prepare the teachers to take an active part in the Union Meetings. The School Union has its project, the making of a syllabus for Language Arts. At our monthly meetings, different phases of the program are discussed. To date we have touched upon "Speaking and Listening Experiences" for grades one through six. The following topic will be taken up at our future meetings, "Skills and Abilities in Communication." Under this heading such subjects as Speech,

Vocabulary Growth, Good Usage, Thought Organization, and Grammar will be discussed.

The teachers, pupils, and myself thank the School Board and the citizens of the town for making available to us the playground equipment and outdoor basketball court. With the addition of these facilities our Physical Education Program has taken a huge step forward.

Three teachers, Mrs. Richards, Miss Mulcahy, and Mr. Lamothe have taken extension courses during the past year.

### ORGANIZATION

Two changes in the administration of the school were inaugurated with the start of the school year in September. All major subject periods in the seventh and eighth grades were lengthened to 50 minutes each, thus enabling the pupils to start and sometimes finish their assignments under teacher supervision. In comparing achievement in these grades with that of other years, I found that greater achievement was being attained with the longer period than when the shorter period was in effect.

The other change was the staggering of the recess periods for all the grades. Grades one, two and three were placed in one group; grades four, five and six in another group; and grades seven and eight in a third group. This change avoids confusion in the hallway, lavatories, and in the use of the playground equipment and also keeps together on the playground children of the same age group.

Extra curricular activities such as assemblies, school socials, play acting, and athletics, under the direction and supervision of the teachers and student council have come to play an important part in the education and development of the pupils. These types of activities enable the students to broaden their interests, characters, and abilities, and help to make for a better citizenry, which is one of the primary aims of education.

The graduating class of 1957 enjoyed a trip to Concord last spring, where they viewed the State Legislature

in session. I wish to thank the Hon. Louis Ballam and Mrs. Ballam who made the trip possible.

I wish to acknowledge the gift of a record player to the Kindergarten, presented by the graduating classes of 1956 and 1957. The Kindergarten teacher joins with me in expressing thanks to these two classes for their thoughtful consideration.

I express my appreciation to the Superintendent, School Board, Teachers, and Citizens for the cooperation which I have received during the year.

Respectfully submitted,

JOSEPH Z. DUBE,

Principal.

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## REPORT OF THE PRINCIPAL WALPOLE ELEMENTARY AND HIGH SCHOOL

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Mr. Elliott W. Keach,  
Superintendent of Schools,  
Walpole, New Hampshire.

Dear Mr. Keach:

I submit herewith my annual report as principal of the Walpole Elementary, Junior High, and High School.

The students enrolled in the Walpole Schools are very fortunate. The educational opportunities offered them are basically needed by every student desiring an education. We have offerings at the High School Level in the College Preparatory, Commercial, Vocational Agriculture, Home Economics, and General areas. Our Elementary Program is designed to give each student the basic training he needs if he will apply himself to the need for acquiring an education.

However, it always seems necessary, in the educational field as well as any other, to continually take account of stock. Usually this running inventory is taken with an eye toward the future and occurs in three areas. Namely:



1. To provide the best educational opportunities which finances will permit.
2. To study continually the school plant in relation to our projected enrollment.
3. To study continually the probable future needs of our students.

### ORGANIZATION

K-3 grades, with the exception of one section of grade one, are adequately housed in the new building. There are one hundred forty-three children presently enrolled in this building. It is very evident to sense the general air of pride that everyone seems to emulate, both pupil and teacher alike.

Additional study should be given to the possibility of including the remaining section of grade one in our new building because we are going to be faced shortly, with the need for at least one more room for high school classes due to increased course offerings.

Basically speaking, all children in grades K-6 are receiving instructions in the following areas:

Reading—Comprehension, Oral; spelling, arithmetic, fundamentals; problem solving; penmanship; social studies; health; science; music.

The intermediate grades, 4-6, are all housed on the first floor of the main building. This is the first year of division for grade six due to size.

Instruction in these grades is becoming more formal especially in regard to specific subject areas such as Science, Social Studies, and Language Arts. Oral and written expression is growing in importance and additional emphasis is being placed on the increasing necessity for the use of reference and supplementary material. It is expected that our P.T.A. is going to give us considerable assistance in this area.

In addition to the above we have started a Physical Education Program for grades 3-6. It is conducted on a one period per week basis and to date has been very well received. Emphasis is placed on group physical education.

The Junior High, grades 7-8, are operating on a sched-



ule very similar to the high school. The classes offered and the enrollments are listed below.

Grade 7—English 7A—28, 7B—22; Social Studies 7A—28, 7B—22; Mathematics 7A—28, 7B—22; Science 7A—28, 7B—22; Home Economics 7A—28, 7B—4; Shop 7A—10, 7B—18; Music 7A—28, 7B—22; Physical Education—Girls—22; Boys—28.

Grade 8—English 8A—20, 8B—22; Social Studies 8A—20, 8B—22; Mathematics 8A—20, 8B—22; Science 8A—20, 8B—22; Home Economics 8A—11, 8B—10; Shop 8A—9; 8B—12; Music 8A—20, 8B—22; Physical Education—Girls—21, Boys—21; Band—11.

The present high school schedule, which operates on a seven period basis of four fifty minute periods, one hour period, and two forty-five minute periods, is adequate and meets the State Board of Education's approval. However, when the Minimum Standards and Recommended Practices for New Hampshire Secondary Schools, Grades 9-12, become effective, in September 1958, it will be necessary to revise our schedule, lengthen our school day a few minutes, and expand our course offerings.

Present classes offered and enrollments are listed below.

#### ACADEMIC COURSES

English 9A—22, 9B—18, 10A—18, 10B—16, 11A—19, 11B—18, 12—20.

Latin I—21; French II—12; French III—4.

General Science—20; Biology—34; Physics—16; Algebra I—29; Geometry—21; Trigonometry—16; Senior Math—12.

Civics & Youth Problems—34; World History—12; Problems of Democracy—10; Sociology & Economics—14; United States History—11A—17, 11B—21; Jr. Bus. Training—21.

#### NON-ACADEMIC COURSES

Typing I—18, Typing II—20; Shorthand I—10, Shorthand II—5; Bookkeeping I—7; Office Practice—10, (clerical and sec.); (9-12) Chorus—55; (9-12) Band—20.

Home Economics; Foods and Clothing—8; Family—9; Agr. I & II (Production Units)—14; Agri. III & IV (Man-

agerial Units)—10; (9-12) Personal Typing—12.

Physical Education — Girls 9—16, 10—18, 11—8, 12—10; Boys 9—23, 10—12, 11—16, 12—6; Driver Education—13.

### SCHOOL DEPARTMENT ACTIVITIES

Faculty members from all departments are currently involved in a study of the Language Art Program. Fundamentally, it is broken down into four areas, Reading, Writing, Listening, and Oral Expression. Considerable headway has already been gained, but the subject is of such magnitude that it may take two years to complete it successfully. There are many ramifications that must be thoroughly explored. However, some aspects are readily apparent, and plans are being formulated to expand our Language Arts Program.

English—To emphasize the area of written expression, we have added the following requirements, in addition to the regular classroom study:

Grade 12—Two term papers on subjects of the student's own choosing and an assigned topic. The papers are to be judged on research material, content, and format. These papers will be in the vicinity of three thousand and five thousand words.

Grade II—Two term papers similar to those described but of lesser word content.

Grade 10—One term paper similar to the above plus a bibliography study, which involves considerable research on the student's part.

Grade 9—Two bibliography studies and approximately forty essay type papers.

The initiating of the above program should prove to be of immeasurable value to the students. It should provide opportunities for considerable individual study, research, ability of written expression, and knowledge of what will be expected in institutions of higher learning.

Opportunities for oral expression are being carefully considered by the general faculty in all classes and more time is being spent on pupils' oral reports, complete answers to thought questions, special reports, poise, enun-

ciation, and pronunciation of words and phrases. It is planned to study the possibility of including a course in Public Speaking in our high school to further emphasize this area.

**SCIENCE**—Our science department offers General Science, Biology, Physics and Chemistry on an alternate basis as well as Science 7A and B and Science 8A and B. This program is nearly adequate but present plans are to eliminate the Physics and Chemistry alternation by offering both courses every year. In the future, when enrollment figures will allow it, there may be a need for an educationally fused course in Physics and Chemistry for students not following the college curriculum.

**MATHEMATICS**—This department offers Mathematics 7A and B, and 8A and B, Algebra I, Algebra II, Geometry, Trigonometry, and Senior Mathematics. At the present time we have an alternation between Algebra II and Trigonometry which should be terminated. We also lack a course for students who are not capable of handling Algebra I. Therefore, we plan to add a General Mathematics course for grade nine and study when it will be feasible to offer all Mathematics courses each year.

**SOCIAL STUDIES**—This department is very adequate in its offerings, namely: Social Studies 7A and B, 8A and B, Civics and Youth Problems, World History, Psychology and Economics, United States History, and Problems of Democracy. All students must pass United States History by state law, and it is strongly recommended that all grade nine pupils be required to take the Civics and Youth Problems course. Preparing students to be worthwhile citizens is one of the aims of every school and it seems that every parent would want his children to become acquainted with our various forms of government and also to make a study of the vocational and academic opportunities from which they must later choose their life's work.

**VOCATIONAL AGRICULTURE AND HOME ECONOMICS DEPARTMENT**—The interest shown by the pupils in these departments seems to be increasing and



indicates that the departments are growing. Our offerings in these two departments are Home Economics and Shop, 7A and B, 8A and B, Foods & Clothing, Family, Home, Agriculture I and II (Production Units), Agriculture III and IV (Managerial and Financial Units). These departments are an important part of our school system because of the opportunities which they present to students whose prime interests are not in the academic area.

The facilities in these areas are limited. Increased enrollments will necessitate the development of a screening process in order to assure us that each student enrolled in either course is using the facilities to further his education. It is further realized that guidance and counseling in these areas is of prime importance.

COMMERCIAL—This department offers Typewriting I & II, Shorthand I & II, Bookkeeping I & II, Office Practice (Clerical & Secretarial), and Personal Typing. The opportunities presented by this department offer a sound training in the essentials of business training. At the present time the students enrolled in this area are approximately 90% girls. There are many opportunities in this area for boys as well as girls and it is hoped that additional interest will be shown by our boys in the near future.

### EXTRA-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

This particular field of education is receiving special consideration at the high school faculty meetings because it is felt that a well balanced educational program should include opportunities in athletics, business, drama, fine arts, journalism, mathematics, science, and vocational fields. This is usually accomplished by means of various clubs being sponsored by the school. There is a need for a fall sport for both boys and girls. We are exploring the possibility of adding such carry-over activities as golf and tennis on an after school basis.

Present clubs offerings available are: Athletic Association, Chick's Chirps' Future Business Leaders of America, Fair Association, Future Farmers and Homemakers of America, Science, Sportsman's, Thespian, and Yearbook.



The Student Council has been active this year. It sponsored the magazine campaign, record hops, monitor system, assemblies, and at the present time is working on a Student Handbook.

Other school activities have been the Fair sponsored by the newly re-organized Fair Association, a three act play by the senior class, fall Music Concert, and Christmas Program by the Music Department and Thespian Club. Tentative activities such as mother-daughter, father-son banquets, Junior Promenade, one-act plays, Spring music concert, Baccalaureate, and Graduation are planned for future dates.

**GUIDANCE**—This phase of our educational system is of prime importance to our students because of the complexity involved in the selection of a career in our present times. Institutions of higher learning are becoming more selective in their choice of candidates for admission, by strengthening entrance requirements and demanding higher standards of accomplishment from their students. In order to properly counsel our students our guidance department has initiated a Career Book study by the Civics and Youth Problems class, continued with the Co-operative Battery Test given by the University of New Hampshire to grades nine and eleven, intends to continue with the State Sophomore Testing Program, and intends to make use of standardized tests in certain subject areas.

Representatives of various institutions have presented the opportunities and requirements for admission to our students; and there has been a general increase in the emphasis of guidance throughout the school.

This area is fast becoming one of the most important in our school and soon will require the services of a staff member who can devote at least half his time to the guidance and counseling of our students.

**GRADUATES**—The following is a list of our 1957 graduates and their fields of endeavor:

NAME	ENDEAVOR
Gordon Adams	National Grange
Patricia Barrett	Northampton Commercial College

Robert Barrett	U. S. Army
Bertha Britton	Brattleboro, Vt.
Dolores Bushway	Mrs. Joseph Riendeau
Arthur Cashin	U. S. Air Force
Donna Chickering	Becker Junior College
Edward Comerford	U. S. Navy
Luella Corey	Northampton Commerical College
James Fennessy	Home, Walpole
Henry Fletcher	Home, Walpole
John Graves	U. S. Navy
Joyce Harrington	U. S. Army
Nancy Kidder	Wheelock College
Sandra Koson	Peerless Company
Paul Lawrence	U. S. Air Force
Judith Mack	Florida
Patricia Martin	Children's Hospital
Sandra Menard	Northampton Commercial College
George O'Brien	U. S. Army
Charlotte Patnode	Keene Dry Cleaning
Russell Pickering	U.N.H.
Patricia Piper	K. T. C.
John Ramsey	Working in Connecticut
Laura Robbins	Peerless Company
Frederick Roentsch	U. N. H.
Judith Smith	Peerless Company
Caroline Staples	National Grange
Jean Wells	Mrs. Harry Westcott

### SUMMARY

In closing I wish to point out the areas in which we have concentrated our efforts this year.

1. The development of a curriculum for our High School that goes beyond the requirements for Minimum Standards for 1958 and approaches the standards of a more desirable school.
2. A study of the Language Arts area for K-12.
3. A study of our guidance needs.
4. A study of enriching our educational opportunities to the students.

Finally, I wish to express my sincere thanks for the cooperation and good-will which have been extended to my family and me by the pupils, teachers, Superintendent, School Board, and townspeople.

Respectfully submitted,

LAURIE L. HARRIS, JR.,

Principal.



# VITAL STATISTICS

## BIRTHS

<i>Date</i>	<i>Place of Birth</i>	<i>Name</i>	<i>Name of Father</i>	<i>Maiden Name of Mother</i>
Jan. 2	Bellows Falls, Vt.	Warren H. Hayes	Warren Hayes	Joan M. Kelly
Jan. 7	Bellows Falls, Vt.	Howard R. Ives, Jr.	Howard R. Ives	Phyllis A. Bergmark
Jan. 22	Bellows Falls, Vt.	Karyn A. Putnam	Harold S. Putnam	Avis L. Jeffrey
Jan. 26	Keene	Carolyn A. Wagner	William O. Wagner	Elizabeth C. Stamm
Jan. 29	Bellows Falls, Vt.	James H. Neal	Leslie A. Neal	Kathryn E. Hall
Jan. 31	Bellows Falls, Vt.	Craig M. Phelps	Ebenezer O. Phelps	Glen A. Burney
Feb. 11	Bellows Falls, Vt.	Clare B. Alexander	David J. Alexander	Mari A. Donaldson
Feb. 12	Bellows Falls, Vt.	Peter M. Putnam	Marshall E. Putnam	Virginia Hendr'kson
Feb. 16	Keene	Robin M. Daniels	Roger H. Daniels	Evelyn M. Moody
Mar. 23	Bellows Falls, Vt.	Richard G. Arnold	George W. Arnold	Alice E. Morse
Mar. 28	Bellows Falls, Vt.	Timothy L. Barry	Leonard F. Barry	Margaret A. Colbeth
Apr. 9	Bellows Falls, Vt.	Charles P. Johnson	Thomas F. Johnson	Bernease E. Smith
Apr. 18	St. Johnsbury, Vt.	Douglas W. Sylvain	Roger J. Sylvain	Margaret L. Bingell
Apr. 21	Bellows Falls, Vt.	Monica E. Deloch	Anthony Delch	Ana E. Klapa
Apr. 24	Bellows Falls, Vt.	Stephen P. Smith	Ralph A. Smith	Irene M. Washkevich
May 3	Bellows Falls, Vt.	Lorraine McKinley	John McKinley	Barbara A. Mahn
May 21	Keene	Lawrence Speckman	August R. Speckman	Rosemary Gray
May 25	Bellows Falls, Vt.	Ricky H. Wood	Herbert J. Wood	Beverly A. Martin
May 31	Bellows Falls, Vt.	Mark A. Putnam	George E. Putnam	Marianne Egemo
June 2	Bellows Falls, Vt.	Margo S. Adams	Robert F. Adams	Joyce E. Ranta
June 5	Bellows Falls, Vt.	Patricia Pickul	Stanley J. Pickul	Stephena B. Stambo
June 7	Bellows Falls, Vt.	Roger A. French	Lawrence F. French	Marguerite Frechette
June 18	Bellows Falls, Vt.	Susan D. Hurlburt	George H. Hurlburt	Joanne H. Kilburn
June 18	Bellows Falls, Vt.	Jeffrey N. Stowell	Norman L. Stowell	Deanna Wakefield
June 25	Bellows Falls, Vt.	Theresa Shaughnessy	David Shaughnessy	Clair R. Bousquet
June 29	Bellows Falls, Vt.	Mark A. McGuirk	William R. McGuirk	Elisse A. Nash
July 6	Bellows Falls, Vt.	Gerald R. Mittica	Rocco C. Mitica	Joan G. Swanson
July 10	Bellows Falls, Vt.	Mark S. Daniels	Robert P. Daniels	Barbara F. Barrett
July 11	Bellows Falls, Vt.	Delbert Ashley, Jr.	Delbert H. Ashley	Cynthia M. Peck
July 14	Bellows Falls, Vt.	Timothy J. Lithgow	Edward Lithgow, Jr.	Lorette T. Boisse
July 16	Bellows Falls, Vt.	Eugene P. Cray	Paul S. Cray	Margaret Kenneally
July 16	Bellows Falls, Vt.	Richard F. O'Brien	Richard F. O'Brien	Marion D. Foster
July 18	Bellows Falls, Vt.	Elizabeth A. Latham	John N. Latham	Margaret A. Wyman
July 19	Bellows Falls, Vt.	William Damaziak	Felix C. Damaziak	Roxanna Thompson
Aug. 5	Bellows Falls, Vt.	Robert A. Parrott	Kenneth P. Parrott	Grace E. Willard
Aug. 17	Bellows Falls, Vt.	Dana A. Torrey	Harold E. Torrey	Jean A. Kiniry
Aug. 24	Bellows Falls, Vt.	David S. Conley	Stanley W. Conley	Janice V. Phillips
Aug. 24	Bellows Falls, Vt.	Kevin N. Wright	Caleb N. Wright	Louise R. Bussino
Aug. 26	Bellows Falls, Vt.	Cindy Lee Mack	Donald E. Mack	Verna R. Winot
Sept. 3	Bellows Falls, Vt.	Richard Alan	Leland F. Stanley	Dorothy B. Libby
Sept. 19	Bellows Falls, Vt.	Lori A. Sutton	Donald M. Sutton	Barbara J. Smead
Sept. 19	Bellows Falls, Vt.	Jack W. Wood	H. Booth Wood	Clara J. Chandler
Sept. 19	Bellows Falls, Vt.	Cynthia A. Webb	William J. Webb	Elizabeth K. Preble
Sept. 25	Bellows Falls, Vt.	Diane M. Baldasaro	Guy J. Baldasaro	Jean N. Nauceder
Sept. 25	Bellows Falls, Vt.	Karen McCormick	Robert McCormick	Jeanne E. Porter
Sept. 26	Bellows Falls, Vt.	Barbara A. Hearne	John E. Hearne	Inez M. Brennan
Sept. 26	Bellows Falls, Vt.	Walter J. Kathan	William H. Kathan	Joyce E. Phelps
Sept. 26	Bellows Falls, Vt.	James M. Kelly	Michael J. Kelly, Jr.	Dorothy L. Goutas
Oct. 2	Keene	Susan L. Burrows	James H. Burrows	Emma F. Bannister
Oct. 6	Keene	John R. Biagiotti	Robert J. Biagiotti	Patricia A. Morris
Oct. 14	Bellows Falls, Vt.	John D. Chandler	Gilbert L. Chandler	Grace E. MacNevin
Oct. 21	Keene	Susan B. Kneass	George Kneass, Jr.	Anita K. Wood
Oct. 21	Bellows Falls, Vt.	Charles R. Welch	Charles Welch	Elizabeth J. Hurd
Oct. 30	Keene	Allegra S. Miller	Charles D. Miller	Helen C. Clappel
Nov. 11	Bellows Falls, Vt.	Debbra J. St. Pierre	William J. St. Pierre	Shirley Wells
Nov. 13	Bellows Falls, Vt.	Dennis B. Lund	Perley B. Lund	Marie D. Letourneau
Nov. 15	Bellows Falls, Vt.	John D. Coyne	David Coyne	Elizabeth N. Prentiss
Nov. 18	Bellows Falls, Vt.	Cheryl J. Mann	Wayne C. Mann	Mary E. Doyle
Nov. 30	Bellows Falls, Vt.	Preston A. Jarvis	Danzel H. Jarvis	Jeanne M. Gagnon
Dec. 13	Bellows Falls, Vt.	John R. Welch	Almon E. Welch	Myra Kemp
Dec. 28	Keene	Peter M. Roentsch	Charles E. Roentsch	Ellen Hayward
Dec. 29	Bellows Falls, Vt.	Heidi K. Hubbard	Oliver W. Hubbard	Kathryn R. Graves



## MARRIAGES

<i>Date</i>	<i>Place</i>	<i>Names</i>	<i>Residence</i>
Jan. 1	Walpole	Robert J. Biagiotti Patricia A. Morris	Walpole Monroe, N. C.
Jan. 1	Walpole	William S. Biagiotti Nancy A. Jensen	Walpole Walpole
Jan. 11	Walpole	George R. Davidson, Jr. Elizabeth A. Frederiksen	Bellows Falls, Vt. Walpole
Jan. 12	North Walpole	Caleb N. Wright Louise R. Bussino	North Walpole North Walpole
Feb. 26	Alstead	David Coyne Elizabeth N. Prentiss	Forrest Hills, N. Y. Drewsville
Mar. 6	Brattleboro, Vt.	Emerson I. Corliss Evelyn Swain	Brattleboro, Vt. Walpole
Mar. 9	Walpole	Peter L. Yankowsk Arlene R. Longchamp	Ludlow, Vermont Graniteville, Vt.
Mar. 15	Walpole	Cassius I. Wilson, Jr. Virginia M. Streeter	North Westminster, Vt. W. Wardsboro, Vt.
Mar. 16	Bellows Falls, Vt.	Walter L. Maxwell Rosella M. Sears	Walpole North Walpole
Apr. 16	Walpole	Ralph A. Colbeth Leona YoungBear	Oakhurst, N. J. Tama, Iowa
Apr. 26	Bellows Falls, Vt.	William F. Davis Joan A. Parrott	Bellows Falls, Vt. North Walpole
Apr. 28	Walpole	Clyde Jeffrey Doris E. Coleman	Montague, Mass. Springfield, Mass.
May 19	Alstead	William L. Kemp Ruth E. Miller	Langdon Walpole
May 31	Walpole	Wilfred P. LaPlante Ruth M. Johnson	Worcester, Mass. Worcester, Mass.
June 15	Springfield, Vt.	Joseph F. Howson Geraldine M. Lovell	North Walpole Springfield, Vt.
June 15	Walpole	Bruce A. Martin Janet R. Prentiss	Walpole Drewsville
June 15	Saxtons River, Vt.	Joseph Riendeau Dolores F. Bushway	Saxtons River, Vt. Drewsville
June 22	Claremont	Robert H. Clark Ethel L. Fink	Walpole Walpole
June 22	Walpole	Robert J. Martel Murial E. Britton	Keene Walpole
June 22	Bellows Falls, Vt.	Ernest M. Rzeczycki Jane M. Kolodziej	Claremont North Walpole
June 29	North Walpole	David J. Corey Margaret S. Crotty	Scarsdale, N. Y. North Walpole
June 29	Bellows Falls, Vt.	Philip C. Coffin Adeline K. Panek	Springfield, Vt. North Walpole
June 30	Bellows Falls, Vt.	James F. Stack Eleanor K. Welch	North Walpole Bellows Falls, Vt.
July 20	Bellows Falls, Vt.	Hugh W. Sullivan, Jr. Eleanor M. Jennison	Bellows Falls, Vt. Walpole
Aug. 24	Charlestown	Charles E. Roentsch Ellen Hayward	Walpole Cleveland, Ohio

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<i>Date</i>	<i>Place</i>	<i>Names</i>	<i>Residence</i>
Aug. 24	North Walpole	William J. Sylvester Juanita A. Matthews	North Walpole North Walpole
Aug. 25	Walpole	Ernest L. Bramwell, Jr. Barbara Knapp	Stamford, Conn. Simsbury, Conn.
Sept. 7	North Walpole	William J. DiNardo Mary V. Cetto	Leominster, Mass. North Walpole
Sept. 7	Walpole	Landon W. Lamb Mary J. Jennison	Wapato, Wash. Walpole
Sept. 7	North Walpole	Richard W. Parker Mary J. Baldasaro	Lawrence, Mass. North Walpole
Sept. 28	Cavendish, Vt.	Harry S. Westcott Nettie J. Wells	Drewsville Cavendish, Vt.
Oct. 12	Keene	John J. Byrnes Dorothy A. Blake	North Walpole Keene
Oct. 12	Bellows Falls, Vt.	Donald S. Green Abbie E. Sabins	Keene Walpole
Oct. 12	North Walpole	Victor Jasinski Rose J. Maffeo	Springfield, Vt. Bellows Falls, Vt.
Oct. 20	Walpole	John H. Beckwith Constance VanDerbeek	Great Barrington, Mass. Great Barrington, Mass.
Oct. 26	Walpole	Howard Haskell Lois M. Phelps	Bellows Falls, Vt. Walpole
Nov. 15	Charlestown	Richard Pearce Ellen L. McAfee	Walpole Walpole
Nov. 28	Bellows Falls, Vt.	Albert G. Bushway, Jr. Anna R. Vaine	North Walpole Bellows Falls, Vt.
Dec. 21	Charlestown	Daniel J. Sullivan Shirley A. Carter	Bellows Falls, Vt. Walpole
Dec. 29	Bellows Falls, Vt.	Basil M. Day Carol Ann Parker	North Walpole Bellows Falls, Vt.

## DEATHS

<i>Date</i>	<i>Place</i>	<i>Name of Deceased</i>	<i>Age</i>
Jan. 2	Walpole	Alfred C. Seward	68
Jan. 7	Concord	Frederick J. Lique	69
Jan. 13	North Walpole	Joseph Baldasaro	75
Jan. 20	Westmoreland	Clifford Moody	40
Jan. 26	Newport	Louise M. Jeffrey	86
Jan. 31	Bellows Falls, Vt.	John H. Howe	79
Feb. 5	Bellows Falls, Vt.	Julia Kechkemety	63
Feb. 12	Wolfeboro, N. H.	Louise C. Mousley	76
Feb. 19	Cambridge, Mass.	Ralph B. Lancaster	57
Feb. 20	Walpole	Frank Sirois	73
Feb. 20	Newport	Charles L. Worden	94
Mar. 30	North Walpole	Michael B. Naski	79
Apr. 13	North Walpole	Patrick H. Hartnett	76
May 1	Bellows Falls, Vt.	Adam Bruzgis	73
May 10	Concord	James H. Brown	69
May 13	Walpole	Harold T. Cheney	59
May 14	Walpole	Ernest M. Aiken	69
May 17	Walpole	Belle Hemenway	92
May 20	Keene	Francis Doucette	54
May 23	Boston, Mass.	Robert P. Bellows	79
May 25	Walpole	Floyd Chapman	10
June 3	North Walpole	George H. Bushway	76
June 9	Bellows Falls, Vt.	Sidney G. Sabins	74
June 16	Hartford, Vt.	Ralph M. Knight	68
July 11	North Walpole	Gaetano Baldasaro	75
Aug. 4	Bellows Falls, Vt.	Elizabeth Bellows	90
Aug. 17	Bellows Falls, Vt.	Anna C. Hartnett	75
Aug. 24	Hartford, Vt.	Charles H. Cleveland	67
Sept. 16	Bellows Falls, Vt.	Mary B. Newell	93
Sept. 19	Bellows Falls, Vt.	Oscar A. Gast	79
Sept. 28	Brattleboro, Vt.	Berta R. Stevens	90
Oct. 1	Walpole	Virginia M. Pond	75
Oct. 7	Nashua	Rose D. Chalifoux	91
Oct. 12	Holyoke, Mass.	Adelaide F. C. Webster	89
Oct. 26	Boston, Mass.	Bruce Largess	2 yrs.
Oct. 26	Claremont, N. H.	Thomas J. Sullivan	68
Oct. 27	Keene	George S. Harris	70
Oct. 30	Walpole	Isabelle A. Smith	86
Nov. 3	North Walpole	John J. Gallagher	63
Nov. 4	Bellows Falls, Vt.	Bertha W. Conley	67
Nov. 4	Walpole	John Thomas Latham	52
Nov. 11	Bellows Falls, Vt.	Deborah J. St. Peters	6 hrs.
Nov. 13	Somerville, Mass.	Catherine J. Murphy	75
Nov. 17	Bellows Falls, Vt.	Celia A. Joseph	7 days
Nov. 30	Walpole	Guy E. Webster	68
Dec. 12	Hanover	Wallace A. Blake	67
Dec. 23	Westmoreland	Henruetta E. Hazelton	94

I hereby certify that the foregoing transcript of births, marriages and deaths is correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

MARGARET M. BALLAM, Town Clerk.









# Forest Fire Prevention is Everybody's Business

New Hampshire faces a continuing challenge in its forest fire problem—97 per cent of all our forest fires being man-caused and preventable—a serious indictment of interest in our own welfare and that of our neighbor. Both the State and the towns are striving diligently to effectively meet the challenge through education of the public to the threat fire presents to our woodlands; by maintaining a well trained corps of wardens and deputy wardens in every community and by providing ample opportunity for all who wish to dispose of unwanted waste materials. Careless and perverseness, however, continue to be the big hurdles.

Thoughtlessly discarded lighted cigars, cigarettes and matches from moving vehicles by hikers, hunters and fishermen; careless burning of debris during hazardous periods in dangerous locations; illegal burning; improperly extinguished debris, camp and cook fires—all result in serious loss of property disruption of industry and farm work and unnecessary expenditure of town and state funds.

To meet the challenge successfully, the state, your community and your local forest fire warden need YOUR thoughtful and cooperative effort—The rules are simple.

1. Don't burn at home—use your town dump and avoid all fire problems.
2. If you do burn, be sure to secure a written permit from your local forest fire warden when the ground is not covered with snow. Permits are required for open debris fires, home incinerators, outdoor fire places and camp fires. Your warden is instructed to permit burning if weather conditions, site and type of burning are safe.
3. Be sure that all lighted material cigars, cigarettes and matches—are completely out before discarding them. Use ash trays in automobiles.
4. Make certain that your debris, camp and cook fires are completely out before leaving them.
5. Insist that others be careful and comply with burning requirements.
6. Call the warden promptly when fire is detected and aid him to extinguish it.

REMEMBER—the fire you prevent might be the one which could burn  
YOUR property.

REMEMBER—FOREST FIRE PREVENTION is EVERYBODY'S BUSINESS  
Our MOST IMPORTANT UNDERTAKING

## 1957 FOREST FIRE RECORD FOR WALPOLE

Number of fires 4

Number of permits issued —

Acreage burned 12

WALTER KILBURN, SR., Forest Fire Warden.  
CORNELIUS WOOD, District Fire Chief.